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Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh southeast winds; cloudy, and mild, with showers.

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GREEK WAR VESSELS SHELL ADRIATIC PORT WITH NO OPPOSITION

Squadron of Destroyers Bombards Italian-Held City of Valona—Attack Coincides With Air Force Assault, Causing Fires on Waterfront —Italian Raid Brings Civilian Casualties

ATHENS, Jan. 7 (AP).—A squadron of Greek destroyers charged into the Adriatic port of Valona, penetrated by night into the Albanian Gulf of Valona and shelled the Italian-held city with sixty rounds without even so much as sighting Italian warcraft, the Greek Marine Ministry announced tonight.

Then, said the communique, the squadron steamed back to its bases "at reduced speed."

The action took place on Sunday night and coincided with a new Royal Air Force bombardment of Valona, in which fires were left burning in warehouses and elsewhere on the waterfront.

MENACING COMMUNICATIONS

Greek military reports say the Greek forces are menacing Italian lines of communication between Tepelenl and Valona, major southwestern Albanian seaport.

Tonight the Greek military spokesman said the Italians had evacuated 35,000 sick and wounded from Valona alone and that since the outbreak of hostilities October 28 the Italian losses could be counted "in the tens of thousands."

In Belgrade it was reported that the wreckage from the Italian Air Geneva, including 500 barrels of naphtha, had been found on the Yugoslav coast, near Bar. This presumably is one of two Italian supply ships sunk off Bar, January 3, by British Greek warships.

PEAK CAPTURED

Dispatches from the central Albanian front stated Italian defenders of Klisura, east of Tepelenl, had been endangered by Greek capture

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AWAIT WORD FROM RUSSIA

Bulgarians Hope for Strong Attitude in Moscow to Check New Threat

SOFIA, Jan. 7 (AP).—Bulgaria waited in anxious suspense tonight for an answer to whether German troops massed along the northern frontier mean war or peace.

Premier Bogdan Filoff's return from a "health trip" to Vienna shed no official light on the threatened Nazi march across this country toward Greece and the Dardanelles.

Informed quarters believed reluctance of Russia and Germany to antagonize each other might bring about a stalemate in the situation.

TRIAL BALLOON

Thus reports from German sources in Belgrade that Russia had consented to a passage of Nazi troops across Bulgaria in exchange for a free hand in Finland and Moldavia were regarded as a "trial balloon."

"If there were 19 per cent of truth in all the rumors abroad about Bulgaria, there would be none of the tranquility you are all around," a Government source remarked.

Nevertheless, Germans continued to mass forces in Rumania along the Danube frontier with Bulgaria and Rumanians were said to have been instructed to establish gasoline depots throughout their country by February 1.

EXTENDS MILITARY SERVICE

Watching developments closely, Turkey tonight extended compulsory military service to all classes now mobilized another year. Turkey is reported to have 800,000 men along Bulgaria's southern frontier.

Outwardly unperturbed, the Bulgaria High Command granted many officers and soldiers leave to observe the Greek Orthodox Christmas.

TO SEND MILK FOR CHILDREN

Britain Relaxes Blockade for American Red Cross To Ship Food

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (P.).—British authorities have agreed to lift the blockade, reliable sources said tonight, to permit the American Red Cross to send some condensed milk to unoccupied France and whatever to Spain.

The amount of supplies to be sent was not disclosed, but the Red Cross was reported to have planned to send a shipload of wheat to Spain.

The shipments to unoccupied France, it was understood, would include condensed milk and vitamin products intended to relieve suffering among French children.

The United States Government has been negotiating with British officials on the project for some time, but Britain previously had withheld permission for such shipments to pass through the blockade.

AID FOR FINLAND

Finland also may receive some food shipments later, it was reported.

The British decision against permitting any food supplies to the man-occupied countries was said to be unaffected by the agreement in the case of unoccupied France, Spain and possibly Finland.

Casimir Bizyl, Polish Minister-Ambassador, has been seeking American relief, especially for children, for several months. Negotiations between the United States and Spanish Governments on some form of relief in that country also have been in progress for some time.

Australians Victors in Air Battles

MELBOURNE, Jan. 7 (AP).—Australia's Air Minister, Hon. John McEwen, told today of successes gained by Australian pilots during recent operations in Libya.

Australian pilots flying Gladiator fighter (Gladiator and Gauntlet fighting planes have shot down several of Italy's highest and best bombers and more than twenty Fiat fighters, he said. At one time five Australian-manned Gladiators ripped into twelve Italian fighting planes making dive-bombing attacks on British troops. Three of the Italian planes were shot down, he said, two of them plummeting to earth out of control.

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British Air Leader Visits Ottawa

Canadian air officials welcomed British Air Chief-Marshal Sir Hugh Dowding to Ottawa, where the former R.A.F. commander-in-chief reviewed Empire defence problems. Left to right: Air Commodore G. O. Johnson, Air Force chief of staff, Royal Canadian Air Force; Air Marshal Sir Hugh Dowding; Air Commodore H. Edwards, of the R.C.A.F.; Air Vice-Marshal L. Dalzell-McKean, chief of the United Kingdom air liaison mission.

New Board Given Sweeping Powers In U.S. Industry

Agency May Take Over Plants Considered Non-Co-operative in Drive for Increased Arms Production—Roosevelt to Give Details of Lease-Lending Proposal to Congress Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP).—To hasten the production of war materials for both the United States and Great Britain, President Roosevelt today formally established the new four-man "office of production management" with broad authority, including the power to take over any industrial plants considered non-co-operative.

As working heads of the new agency, he appointed William S. Knudsen, former chairman of General Motors, and Sidney Hillman, vice-president of the Congress of Industrial Organizations. Both were members of the old Advisory Defence Commission. Knudsen will be director-general and Hillman associate director-general, and they will act, Mr. Roosevelt said, as a team or partnership in wielding the tremendous powers at their disposal. Secretaries Henry Stimson and Frank Knox, of the War and Navy Departments, respectively, are members ex-officio.

MUST MAKE SACRIFICES

The members of the new agency issued a joint statement, which Mr. Roosevelt said was of great importance. In it they stressed the urgency of the defence problem.

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PRICES PEGGED ON MANY FOODS

British Minister Sets Maximum Value on List of Non-Perishables

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—Food Minister Lord Woolton announced today the pegging of prices of a variety of foods at not more than the figures of last December 2.

He listed coffee, cocoa, chocolate canned and boiled vegetables and canned pork and beans, honey, fish and poultry pastes, poultry, tapioca, biscuits, canned soups, processed cheese, custard powders, jellies and nuts.

His order forbids wholesalers, retailers or manufacturers to sell at prices higher than each sold these foods on December 2.

Lord Woolton earlier had said Britain is suffering from a most serious shortage, but added he believed it to be only temporary. If the shortage continues, however, the most ration will be reduced, he said.

"The position of meat supplies," he said, "is immediately difficult with every sign of improvement."

The drastic anti-profiteering order, Lord Woolton said, would "burn the fingers" of new people coming into the food trade as a profitable field for speculation.

"They have been taking their rake-off or profit and have rendered no service at all to the country," he said.

TWO FLYERS DIE IN PLANE CRASH

Training Plane Plunges to Earth Six Miles From Ottawa—Cause Not Known

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—L.A.C. D. Dority, of St. Johns, Man., and L.A.C. J. R. Dority, of Ottawa, were killed today in the crash of a Royal Canadian Air Force training plane six miles east of Ottawa, Air Force headquarters announced.

Details of the crash during a Middle Gladiers flight were not immediately available and the cause was not known.

L.A.C. Dority, nineteen, was to have received his wings next week time, he came to Ottawa five weeks ago and had been staying with his grandparents in Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Dority.

L.A.C. Dawson was born in Winnipeg, April 7, 1918, and joined the Air Force last June.

Heavy Losses Taken By Italian Air Force Since Entering War

Over 500 Planes Shot Down in Mediterranean Area for Loss of Eighty British Craft—Still Long Struggle Ahead

CAIRO, Jan. 7 (AP).—Since Italy entered the war against Britain last June 10 more than 500 Italian planes have been shot down in the Mediterranean area by allied aircraft or anti-aircraft guns, British air officials said tonight. They estimated that about eighty British planes were lost.

The British officer pleased made the statement at his first appearance with the British Middle Eastern forces in the greatest defensive in Libya and have done "exceptionally good work," a Royal Air Force official disclosed.

A GROWING TRICKLE

The current arrivals of American aircraft in Egypt were described as a "trickle," which air officials said they hoped would grow steadily.

"Air chiefs here are highly satisfied

LONDON HAS DAY ATTACK

Bombs Cause Some Casualties—Midlands and East Anglian Towns Raided

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—Waves of German fighter-bomber aircraft gave London its longest daytime attack in several weeks today and killed and wounded a number of persons.

Bombers caused several casualties in an assault on an industrial Midland town and other raiders, taking advantage of better flying conditions after being baked last night by snow and dirty weather, struck hard at East Anglia and the Southeast Coast.

But despite the severity of the London raid residents of the capital continued their shopping and routine tasks.

STREET CAR DERAILED

A number of persons were killed and wounded in London today when a line of bombs fell across a street. A street car was blown off its tracks, injuring eight persons. The epic and main part of a Baptist church crashed. A motor showroom and a bank were demolished, trapping a number of persons in the wreckage.

In another London section, four

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May Require Ten Billions For War Aid

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (CP).—One informed legislator said today it is possible that President Roosevelt's lend-lease programme of aid to Britain might require an authorization for as much as $10,000,000,000 in future expenditures.

It was emphasized, however, that the programme probably would include authority to lend equipment now on hand, which would be replaced later as other equipment is produced. This might be especially true, it was pointed out, in the case of merchant shipping which Britain needs badly.

MANY APPEAL FOR WAGE INCREASES

Million Arms Workers Ask Arbitration Tribunal for Threepence An Hour Rise

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—A million arms workers claimed in an arbitration tribunal today there plea for a wage increase of threepence an hour to meet rising living costs.

Representatives of the Amalgamated Engineering Union, with 500,000 members, were first to be heard. The General Federation of Trades Union, representing another 500,000 workers, will be heard later.

The cases presented by the engineers were a sliding scale of increases in wages average approximately five pounds ($22.25) a week.

Employers have argued increased pay is unwarranted in the country's interest unless needy of workers, by more money are proved imperative.

DID NOT KNOW

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP).—President Roosevelt told reporters in reply to a question today that he did not know whether the United States has turned some planes over to Greece. There was no affirmative on the inquiry or the answer.

PRISONERS ARE WELL TREATED

Few Italians Show Disappointment at Their Capture by British

CAIRO, Jan. 7 (AP).—Headquarters of Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell, grappled tonight with the problem of accommodating more than 70,000 prisoners taken thus far in the lightning British campaign against Italian North Africa.

By sea and by rail, those captured in the victory at Bardia are pouring into the green Nile Valley from the desert at the rate of 2,000 to 3,000 daily—great herds of defeated soldiers who will have to be fed, clothed and housed until the war ends. British sources say they never expected to capture so many.

Most prisoners are being shipped to Alexandria aboard any vessel available. Others are sent by truck to the railhead in the Western Desert.

IN SUEZ ZONE

The chief camp has been established in the Suez Canal zone.

Wounded Italians are taken to British hospitals and Libyans to Egyptian hospitals. The prison camps are similar to the large British Army camps in Egypt, composed of rows of tents and a few scattered wooden structures.

Few prisoners show much disappointment at being captured. Chiefly they want mercy to let the folks back home know they are alive. This is handled by the International Red Cross through Geneva.

The prisoners have no clothes save those in which they stand, and often these are rags.

As for food, the prisoners are getting better rations than they ever got in the Italian Army. It is said. All prisoners get regular issues of cigarettes or tobacco.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Jan. 7 (The Times).—Advance elements of British forces are occupying Tobruk according to The Times military correspondent, who says apparently armored units—and motored.

Future progress into Libya may not be of the same sensational kind as that towards Bardia, but the Italians in Libya, as a whole, have now been greatly reduced and their fighting spirit seriously affected.

Possession of Tobruk and Benghasi would consolidate British control of the Eastern Mediterranean. Every course of advantage from the present victories will be squeezed out of them by Archibald Wavell, it may be safely assumed.

General Bergamini, the captured Italian commander, Bardia had the reputation in Spain of a fighter. He fought with the Italians in Spain, and was known there as the "electric beast." The Spanish space-dropped black beard he affected.

It was assumed that Bardia was impregnable and could never be taken. Pacifist papers which made the same boast in the last war. It was of no importance and that the British advance had to halt to make difficulties of transport and feeding of the troops insurmountable.

Actually, the possession of Bardia means that the navy can readily bring up supplies of food and munitions for the victorious British. One Rome radio commentator says Bardia's loss is "just an incident on Italy's road to victory."

Editorially The Times says the Italian rank and file had no heart for the struggle. The Italians would always fight bravely for their homes or for a good cause, but they won't fight for a leader who wants them to fight solely for his own inflated ambition.

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A crop of rumors of German origin continue to suggest that German troops are moving into Bulgaria and Rumania and that the Soviet minister in Belgrade has been recalled to Moscow.

Apparently some German soldiers are entering Rumania as reinforcements for those already there, and more German airmen are going to Italy. There is no truth in the report of diplomatic moves in Moscow's part.

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The abduction of the banker and financier Paul Baudouin, from the Vichy Government is accepted in French circles to growing economic difficulties that cause great unrest throughout France. Prices are becoming higher and higher, tariffs in many regions are scarce, and transports disorganized.

Col. W. J. Donovan Arrives in Cairo

CAIRO, Jan. 7 (AP).—Col. William J. Donovan, on an undisclosed mission from the United States, has arrived in Cairo by plane from London.

While he declined to discuss the purpose of his visit, it was understood he will furnish the United States Government with a first-hand account of the situation and of operations in the Middle Eastern war theatre.

Lord Baden-Powell Boy Scouts' Founder Is Called by Death

Noted British Soldier, and Originator of World's Largest Scout Movement, Dies at His Nyeri Home in Kenya Colony, Africa

NAIROBI, Kenya Colony, Jan. 8 (Wednesday), (AP).—Lord Baden-Powell, founder of the Boy Scouts movement, died today at Nyeri, his home in Kenya Colony.* He had been reported critically ill in November, but two weeks later was thought improved.

Lord Baden-Powell, a linen draper's assistant, rose to be a famous soldier and leader of the Boy Scout movement.

Millions of boys in more than three score and ten countries have absorbed and tried to practice the principle of preparedness for service which the organization inculcates and more than a million girls in the sister orders of "girl guides," girl

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BRITISH ADVANCE FORCES TAKE MILITARY AIRPORT NEAR TOBRUK

Forty Damaged Fascist Planes Captured at Field Fifteen Miles From Italian Port—Motorized Units Already Patrolling Outer Defences of City—Approaches to Harbor Cut Off

R.A.F. Making Damaging Attacks on Libyan Targets

CAIRO, Egypt, Jan. 7 (AP).—Advanced forces of the British and Imperial army today thrust almost seventy miles west of captured Bardia to occupy the military airport serving Tobruk, the main Italian base in Libya, and seized forty Fascist planes grounded there by Royal Air Force action and by fire set by retreating Italians. The fast motorized units that carried out the desert offensive were reported almost at Tobruk's gates, darting in here and there to test the port's outer defences, which are approximately twenty-five miles in circumference.

ITALY'S LOSS IS COMPUTED

More Than 94,000 Troops Rendered Ineffective by Army of the Nile

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—Official quarters estimated today the British Army of the Nile has rendered 94,000 Italian troops "ineffective" in fighting in North Africa since December 9.

These figures include at least 19,000 prisoners, plus wounded and dead.

In addition, the British forces have captured "an enormous quantity" of war materials.

British mechanized units, in the same source said, "are now in contact with the outer defences of Tobruk." Italian Libyan stronghold some eighty miles from the Egyptian border.

MANY DIVISIONS SMASHED

Among the Italian formations listed as smashed in the British offensive were the 62nd, 63rd and 64th Metropolitan Divisions of the regular army; the First and Second Blackshirt Divisions, the First and Second Libyan Divisions, and the Maletti mechanized group.

There are 12,000 men and officers in a regular Italian division, 12,000 in a Blackshirt Division, and 7,000 in a Libyan Division, these quarters said. They added that the medium pressure bombers totaled probably 7,000 men.

To this total of 94,500, these informants said, must be added

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BOMBERS DAMAGE TWO ENEMY SHIPS

Blenheim Aircraft Attack Cargo Vessel Off Norway—Direct Hit Made on Tanker

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—Royal Air Force bombers attacked an enemy merchantman off the coast of Norway and scored a direct hit on an enemy tanker off the Netherlands coast yesterday, the Air Ministry announced today. The Scientific said:

During yesterday, Blenheim aircraft of the Coastal Command attacked one enemy merchant vessel off the coast of Norway and badly damaged one of them.

"Blenheims of the Bomber Command also attacked enemy tankers off the Dutch coast, and one of our aircraft scored a direct hit on the bow of an enemy tanker of about 8,000 tons."

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK BY U-BOAT

Uncomfirmed Report Says Ship Sank Down Off Cape Verde—Crew Reaches Island

LISBON, Jan. 8 (Wednesday) (AP).—Unconfirmed reports reached here early today that the 8,000-ton British steamship Shakespeare had been sunk by a submarine near Sal Island in the Cape Verde.

The crew, including some wounded, was reported to have reached the island.

The Portuguese sloop Goncalves Zarco left San Vincente, Cape Verde Islands, to rescue them.

NAZI RAILWAYS IN DIFFICULTY

Heavy British Bombings Are Beginning to Tell on German Campaign

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—A British source said today that it has derived in aviation circumstance that transportation difficulties are beginning to tell on the German air campaign, making the Nazi High Command cautious about waiting plans and supplies when the results are unlikely to be fruitful.

The Germans were short of railway equipment and freight cars even before the war, this source said, and Britain bombers have been pounding the Nazi railways since the Spring.

"The way we have bombed the marshaling yard at Hamm, and other big railway points like Berlin, Hanover, Osnabruck, Mannheim and dozens of others, has needed in getting supplies to advance airfields, certainly hasn't helped the transport situation in Germany," he said.

FIELDS POORLY FITTED

"Lots of their airdrome fields are poorly fitted for Winter flying."

It was pointed out also that in the first months of the air offensive the Germans were able to use bombs and fuel seized in the occupation of France and the Low Countries.

Sources here believe that a good part of these has been used up, or has been destroyed by British bombs so supplies must be brought up from farther back.

British aviation circles also are alert to the possibility that the Germans may have curtailed their air raids in bad weather to permit operation of preparations for an invasion or a great mass aerial assault, when Spring comes.

Plans to Inaugurate National Insurance Scheme at Mid-Year

Government Expects Payments Into Unemployment Aid Fund on July 1—Legislation Complete—Details Are Being Arranged

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—The Government order is for full speed ahead in the organization of the unemployment insurance commission, a highly-placed source said tonight. Back of this order is a desire to have payments to the insurance fund start by July 1.

No further legislation is necessary and it now is merely a matter of ironing out administration detail. This is in charge of Arthur MacNamara, of Winnipeg, associate deputy minister of labor, in the absence of Dr. Joseph Sirois, of Quebec, commission chairman, who is ill at present.

When operating, the scheme will provide national compulsory unemployment insurance affecting 4,500,000 workers who earn less than $2,000 a year, payments to be made from a fund built up by employer, employee and Government contribution.

APPOINTMENTS TO BE MADE

Before the scheme can operate the commission must establish courts of referees, select an umpire and deputy umpire from justices of the Exchequer Court of Canada and Superior Courts of the provinces, and appoint inspectors and numerous local bodies in the administrative districts to be set up.

Administration costs, to be paid by the Federal Government, are expected to be about $5,000,000 a year and once contributions start the fund is expected to grow at the rate of $58,000,000 a year.

V. C. Phelan, acting director of employment in the Labor Department, left Ottawa tonight with L. W. Moffitt of the Civil Service Commission, to visit centres in Alberta and British Columbia where there were employment offices under the old joint Dominion-provincial arrangement. They will examine present personnel of the offices to see if they qualify for the new plan whereby all such offices will be controlled by the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

Offices in some Ontario points, including Toronto and Hamilton, have been checked. So have those in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, but Mr. Phelan said he had additional work to do in Manitoba and Saskatchewan after visiting Alberta and British Columbia.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICES

Under the Unemployment Insurance Commission there will be an employment office in each place of 10,000 or more population and work of the offices will be increased by provisions in the insurance legislation for aid in obtaining new employment for those insured persons who become unemployed.

According to information here there have been 600 applications for the first four executive posts on the commission—those of executive director, chief insurance officer, bilingual secretary and executive assistant.

Under the present administrative plans the Dominion is to be divided into five areas under regional superintendents: British Columbia and the three Prairie Provinces; Northwestern Ontario; the remainder of Ontario; Quebec; and the Maritime Provinces.

THREE CONTRIBUTORS

In addition to paying administration, the Federal Government will pay one-fifth of the total contributions made to the unemployment insurance fund by employers and employees. Contributions will range from 12 cents a week from the pay of a person earning from $5.50 to $7.50 weekly to 36 cents a week from persons earning between $26 and $38.50 weekly.

Corresponding contributions from employers range from 21 to 27 cents weekly. Benefits will be paid ranging from $4.08 a week for the lowest class contributor to $12.24 for the highest class, and $4.80 to $14.40 for a person with dependents.

Persons earning $2,000 a year or more, those under sixteen years, and those who earn less than 90 cents a day will not be eligible for unemployment insurance benefits, and there also is a long list of excepted classes.

Was Popular Music Teacher Here

LATE JOSEPH HINTON

FOR whom private funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in the Thomson Funeral Home. Cremation took place at Royal Oak. Mr. Hinton, at one time one of the best-known music teachers in the city and well known also as organist, composer and conductor, died on Saturday evening in St. Joseph's Hospital, after a lengthy illness.

NEW PASTOR IS GREETED

Public Welcome Service Held For Rev. W. L. MacKay, Emmanuel Church

Formal welcome and introduction was given to Rev. W. L. MacKay, B.A., B.D., newly-inducted pastor of [illegible] public service held last night in the church auditorium, following a banquet for church members and adherents.

O. F. Waites, moderator and chairman of the board of deacons, conducted the service, and voiced the official welcome of the congregation of Emmanuel Baptist Church. He spoke of the history and work of the church, of the men and women who had contributed to its labors, which he declared was a heritage "which we place before you as you come as our pastor."

Greetings were also brought from other city congregations and ministers. Rev. G. A. Reynolds, First Baptist Church, congratulated Emmanuel on its choice of pastor, and, in recalling his long association with Mr. MacKay in past years paid tribute to the latter's work in other fields, and predicted that he would lead his new congregation "to a wise contribution to the Kingdom of God and the Baptist denomination as a whole."

HIGHEST IDEALS

Rev. N. J. Crees, Fairfield United, spoke on behalf of the Victoria Ministerial Association, and assured Mr. MacKay that he would find a warm fellowship and a warm welcome among his fellow-ministers of this city. Rev. P. W. McKinnon, Douglas Street Baptist, a boyhood friend of the new pastor, in expressing his tribute, declared that "he will challenge the highest ideals of the congregation."

Speaking on behalf of First United and as an old friend, Rev. Hugh A. McLeod told of the leadership given by Mr. MacKay to every good endeavour and to his fellow-ministers when serving in Medicine Hat, and expressed his pleasure at seeing Mr. MacKay come to Victoria. He assured him of friendship and gratitude in their future association here.

Each of the speakers included in his remarks a warm welcome to Mrs. MacKay and her family, and best wishes for their happiness in this city.

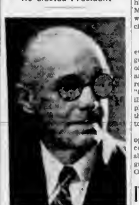
EXPRESSES THANKS

In reply, Mr. MacKay thanked everyone for the kind expressions of good will and welcome. Speaking of the work that lay before himself and the members of the church, he reaffirmed his conviction that "Christ is the only solution for the ills that confront this world," and pledged to "you and the church and the Kingdom of God the best I have to offer."

He appealed for the loyal co-operation of every member of the congregation, and said: "I hope we shall stand together and build up a great lighthouse for the Kingdom of God."

OFFICERS ARE AGAIN NAMED

Britannia Branch Nominates Executive—Robert Knight Re-elected President



ROBERT KNIGHT

Returned by acclamation in the annual nominations for officers, President Robert Knight and First Vice-President P. H. Winn were unanimously chosen to again head the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion at the general meeting in the hall last night.

Other members nominated for official posts for the forthcoming year included L. Glazan, H. R. Milburn, G. C. Thomas and A. W. R. Wilby, for second vice-president; J. Neary and R. A. Clarke, for the house committee chairmanship; S. W. N. Saunders and R. L. Butteris, for pensions committee chairmanship. P. C. Shrimpton, unanimously chosen to head the entertainment committee. R. Cruikshank, unanimously named to head the membership committee; G. Finn, again selected for the sick committee, without opposition, and W. Shelton was chosen as sergeant-at-arms.

The two members for the district council will be elected from the three nominated, D. O. Holmes, F. W. Colter and R. Stokes. Alfred Adams was confirmed as secretary of the branch, following the ending of his probationary period.

FINANCIALLY SOUND

Following the financial statement, as submitted by W. Hudson, it was mentioned that the Britannia Branch had assets of $10,000 to back any further improvement schemes.

It was moved that the branch hold a smoker toward the end of next month or the beginning of March in celebration of the twenty-fifth year of a soldiers' organization in Victoria.

Chairman Knight revealed that the Hartnell case was under review by the Dominion Legion Command at Ottawa, before submission to the Department of Justice. The Canadian Legion is urging his internment.

Other business at the meeting involved a petition from the Comox branch of the legion, requesting financial assistance in building a legion hall for the entertainment of sailors in that district. The officials here are taking it under advisement.

NEW ARMY CHAPLAINS GIVEN APPOINTMENTS

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—Appointment of seven new army chaplains, five Protestant and two Roman Catholic, was announced by the Defence Department today. They include Capt. J. J. Macdonald, Roman Catholic, former missionary to China, of Calgary, for duty at Nanaimo.

Salt Spring Pilot Given Mention

FLT.-LIEUT. F. W. S. "PETER" TURNER

SON of Major and Mrs. F. C. Turner, Ganges, Salt Spring Island, whose name appeared in the New Year's Honors list as mentioned in dispatches. He joined the R.A.F. in England in December, 1935, and took part, with his squadron, in the Bastille Day Celebrations in Paris on July 14, 1939. Flt.-Lieut. Turner took part in the first raid over Germany when war broke out, objectives including Kiel, Cuxhaven and Wilhelmshaven, and was employed during the past year in reconnaissance and raids over enemy territory, as well as in the evacuation of Dunkerque. Born in Merritt, B.C., on April 11, 1914, he was educated at Ganges Preparatory School and Vancouver Technical College. Recently, with other officers of the R.A.F., he returned to Canada to serve as an instructor under the Commonwealth Air Training Plan. He married Rosemary Josephine de Clairmont-Travers, Shoreham, Sussex, in September, 1939.

ITALIANS TAKE HEAVY LOSSES

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always a danger of the entry of German aviation.

TERRIFIC DAMAGE

Officers added that terrific damage and demoralization have been inflicted on the Italians in a total of 1,827 bombing raids carried out under Air Command here.

Perhaps the R.A.F.'s greatest achievement was the terrific air campaign which preceded the land advance in the Western Desert and the Bardia region.

New tactics were employed successfully in the offensive, it was disclosed.

One was the wide use of Hurricane fighters for gun attacks from low altitudes on convoys and air fields.

This compelled the Italians to use more of their fighters in an attempt to prevent such attacks and reduced the number available for escorting bombers.

"And since their bombers are reluctant to go out without large escorts, this reduced their bombing," R.A.F. officers said.

The advance of British front lines from Matruh to well beyond Bardia—some 200 miles—has given the R.A.F. new problems.

Air bases have been advanced apace with the land march, but this has required a vast amount of organization.

SUPERIOR FORCE

British airmen have found Italy's East African air force superior to squadrons operating from Libya and Italy, though R.A.F. flyers operating from the Sudan, Kenya Colony and Aden have inflicted heavy losses in Ethiopia, it was said.

Red Sea traffic has been almost free from air attacks. It was admitted, however, that the British fleet has not been entirely successful in preventing arrival of supplies to Italian East Africa.

These supplies are transferred from ships on the high seas to dhows—small Arab boats with mutton-chop sails—which slip into port.

"Dhow traffic along the coast is so extensive it is impossible to control it all," one officer said, "but efforts are being made to keep this traffic to a minimum."

INEVITABLE WEAKENING

Supplies arriving in East Africa are in no way equal to the exhaustion of material there and the Italian position is inevitably weakening with the passage of time, it was said.

R.A.F. operations in Greece are somewhat reduced due to the weather, but they are expected to be increased greatly in the Spring as ever-increasing reinforcements of men and planes make greater activity possible.

NEW BOARD GIVEN SWEEPING POWERS

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sured labor that it would not be called upon for sacrifices not demanded of capital as well, and requested the co-operation of all.

At the Capitol, meanwhile, both Houses of Congress were in recess awaiting the receipt tomorrow of the President's budget message—asking huge new appropriations for defence—and the formulation of legislation covering the President's plan for lending war materials to Great Britain.

The executive order creating the new agency clothes it, in the first instance, with authority to "formulate and execute in the public interest all measures needful . . . for the national defence."

MAY COMMANDEER PLANTS

It can commandeer the plants of what Mr. Roosevelt today called rambunctious manufacturers, that is, any manufacturers who attempt to hold up the Government for unduly high prices or otherwise prove recalcitrant.

Moreover, the agency can decide the order in which articles shall be manufactured in various plants to make production schedules conform with the needs of the army and navy.

They are vested with vast duties for co-ordinating the work of various Government branches, making plans for mobilizing industry, determining the adequacy of existing production facilities, advising the various departments on their purchasing schedules, so that they will not conflict with defence needs, and performing "such other functions as the President may from time to time assign" to them.

IN THREE DIVISIONS

As part of their organization there were established three divisions, one for production, another for purchases and a third for priorities.

Quoting Mr. Roosevelt's phrase about making the United States the "arsenal of democracy," the officials said in their statement while they are ready to devote their best efforts to that objective far more than their efforts is necessary.

Industry, it continued, "must subordinate any concern over the possible future effect of tremendous immediate expansion, and repress any hope for wartime profits. Labor, bulwarked by protective laws already on the statute books, must lend its 'intelligent and patriotic co-operation.'"

NO SELFISH ADVANTAGE

"Just as it is intolerable for capital to seek a selfish advantage by reason of the present emergency," it continued, "so must labor avoid any attempt to make improper use of its position in the present world-wide emergency."

And, in conclusion, it said:

"If the totalitarian forces of the world are victorious, all the hard-won rights of labor will be destroyed and both capital and labor will become the involuntary vassals of an all-powerful state. Labor has as great a stake in this crisis as capital, and both must work together harmoniously if the United States is to make its contribution to a democratic victory in the world."

Journalist Recalls Tragic Experiences In War-Torn France

Gladys Arnold Addresses Big Women's Canadian Club Audience at Empress Hotel Ballroom—Heart of Masses Sound, She Feels

IT was a tribute to the higher civilization and greater humanity of England that the people there had an opportunity to become aware of the brutality, ruthlessness and power of the Nazi enemy, said Miss Gladys Arnold, Canadian Press correspondent, in speaking yesterday afternoon to a big Canadian Women's Club audience on "Experiences During the Fall of France."

Miss Arnold, who last June became a refugee from France in England, recited the highlights of the tragic and eventful year since she last addressed a Victoria audience. The story began with her departure from New York and her arrival in Bordeaux, where she first saw the effects of war in the hundreds of thousands of refugee children from Northern and Eastern France, who, crowded into schools and other buildings, were receiving education under very great handicaps.

From there she had gone to Central France and seen more thousands of unfortunate refugees who had poured down from invaded Holland and Belgium. In recalling this picture, she paid tribute to the splendid work done by the Scouts and Girl Guides of France, who had also undertaken the care of children of women who were called into the factories to replace the men mobilized for military duty. This, incidentally, was one of the explanations of the great lack of skilled labor.

FRANCE UNAWARE

Miss Arnold spoke of the fatal attitude of the French before the German invasion. They seemed to feel that the Nazi threat was to the cultural life of the nation, rather than to its material existence, and that everyone seemed confident that the Maginot Line would protect France. Up to the last moment the mass of people held the belief that some miracle would hold the Germans back. The idea persisted so strongly that the traditional artisanship of the French munition workers impelled them, even in the hour of approaching tragedy, to put a finishing polish on shells "just because they liked to add the touch of beauty."

Harrowing incidents were recalled in connection with the great trek of refugees from Northern France to Bordeaux and Paris. Bordeaux, preparing to receive 1,000 refugees, had 3,000. Refugee trains were indescribably crowded, with no sleeping or feeding conditions. Soldiers were so moved by the plight of the famished children that they opened their packs and emptied the contents.

Germany by low-flying planes had forced whole villages to evacuate, using the movement of the refugees as a military tactic to block the roads and impede the movement of the French troops.

UNCONSCIOUS HUMOR

In the midst of tragedy there were moments of unconscious humor, as when one woman refugee, who was being conveyed across Paris, recalled that things were much better organized than during the last war.

Miss Arnold expressed profound faith in the soundness of the mass of the French people.

In recalling early impressions of England after her arrival there last June, Miss Arnold first spoke of the country's unawareness of the significance of the German invasion of France; then, of the suddenness of England's awakening, and, finally, the thrilling fact of England's being the harboring point of the armies of all the vanquished countries.

In conclusion, Miss Arnold gave a message to the women of Canada. "We must have spiritual unity in this country," she said. "No internal issue must exist in Canada as long as this war is on." The morale of the people in the occupied countries must be kept up. Individually, collectively, there must be a spirit of selflessness.

Mrs. James Adam presided.

ITALY'S LOSS IS COMPUTED

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10,000 corps and supply troops, making a rough total of 94,000 to 94,500 men whose formations have been entirely broken and who were captured, killed, wounded or missing in the desert.

BIG AMOUNT OF EQUIPMENT

From the crushing of these units the amount of war material seized can be judged from the equipment of one infantry division.

Besides small arms, such equipment includes 316 light automatic weapons, 48 heavy machine guns, 111 light mortars, 24 heavy mortars, 36 field guns, 24 anti-tank guns and eight anti-aircraft guns.

Italian armored divisions consist of one infantry regiment transported in trucks, one tank regiment composed of two battalions of assault tanks (eleven-ton Ansaldos), one battalion of light tanks (five-ton Fiats), one artillery regiment, one motorcycle company, one anti-aircraft company, one anti-tank company, one engineer company and various service troops.

SEATTLE DOCTORS HELP

SEATTLE, Jan. 7 (AP).—Dr. Donald V. Trueblood announced today that Seattle doctors had contributed and collected 3,500 pounds of medical and surgical supplies and shipped them to the British Medical Association.

W. H. WARREN SOCIETY HEAD

Re-elected for Second Term At Annual Meeting of Horticultural Group

W. H. WARREN

Members of the Victoria Horticultural Society chose their officers for the current year at the annual meeting held last night in the Council Chamber of the City Hall. W. H. Warren was re-elected for his second term as president by acclamation.

F. E. Boulter was the sole choice for the vice-presidency, and Alderman D. D. McTavish was re-elected secretary. The executive was chosen as follows: Mrs. R. H. Ludbrook, J. Craig, W. Hamilton, A. Mitchell, M. O. Mayhew, A. F. Powell, D. Snohbelin and F. W. Walker. H. O. Simpson and J. Coats-Brown were appointed auditors, while this pair with E. M. Whyte, will select the best member in the society for 1941.

Mr. McTavish, in his report, said the society was in excellent financial condition, despite the fact that some shows were not well attended. He expressed his thanks to the executive and general membership and the press for their support during the past year.

MEMBERSHIP DOWN

Mr. Warren reported that the membership was 271, a drop of eighty-five from last year. He said that attendances at both shows and the general meetings were poor, probably due to the war. Some $120 had been given to charities during the past year.

In an effort to aid the war effort, he thought that auctions of flowers, plants, etc., might be held, similar to those of the Royal Horticultural Society. He also proposed a daffodil and tulip show this year.

The matter of membership dues will be discussed at next month's meeting.

One of the highlights of the evening was the showing of colored motion pictures by F. J. Burrow, Sidney. The films featured wild flowers of the Gulf Islands, Jervis and Princess Louise Inlets and scenes in California.

Mrs. E. S. Michell was the winner of the monthly competition for ferns and Mrs. H. Marshall was second. A. E. Powell won the leek competition in the vegetables.

Gives Statement Of Net Revenues

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—Revenue Minister Gibson stated today net revenue collected by his department last December totaled $55,482,296 as against $35,323,475 in December, 1939.

From April 1 to December 31, 1940, net revenue totaled $525,091,275. This compares with $355,830,278 collected during the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year.

LISBON, Portugal, Jan. 7 (AP).—Harry Hopkins on his way to London as President Roosevelt's personal representative, arrived here today aboard the Yankee Clipper after a record run of 17 hours and 31 minutes from Bermuda, a non-stop flight of 3,118 miles.

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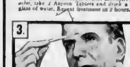

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Announcers Continue Despite Destruction And Death in Building

British Broadcasters Coolly Carry On While Bombs Kill Members of Their Staff and Fires Rage After Air Attack

L[illegible] building of the British Broadcasting Corporation which towers in Portland Place, was disclosed today to have been hit and seriously damaged in two recent air raids. Several members of the B.B.C. staff were killed.

The great modern structure, which contrasted with many older buildings in London's West End, was struck by a high explosive bomb when there were 300 persons in the building Seven were killed, it was disclosed

And while fire and explosion went on announcers continued to speak into their microphones, from the radio centre at the heart of the Empire broadcasts continued to go out on the air waves of the world in many languages

DRAMATIC SCENES

Listeners never knew what dramatic scenes were being enacted behind the calm, clear tones of the voices that came to them from their radios.

The Germans, reversing their usual tactics, during the first raid dropped an explosive bomb first Then came a shower of incendiaries

Three fires burned for six hours

(This may have occurred three weeks ago when Fred Bate, an announcer for the National Broadcasting Company, was injured The Associated Press said. N B C. said it does not know where its London office now is situated.)

HEARD EXPLOSION

The first attack came while Bruce Belfrage an actor who has appeared in Canada, was making a news broadcast. Listeners heard the explosion of the first bomb, but did not know what it was He continued his announcements without interruption, although several women staff members were killed.

Belfrage began, "The postscript tonight . . .

A smothered explosion rumbled into the microphone The actor hesitated for a moment Then he continued.

Of the 300 in Broadcasting House at the time some were asleep. Others were on duty.

A roof-watcher warned the control room by telephone.

"Look out! There's a big one coming"

Two seconds later a bomb landed between the BBC and the Langham Hotel

Broadcasting House a building of solid steel and stone, shuddered from the blast.

"Butter fingers" was the only comment from the control room to the roof spotter

BROADCASTS CONTINUE

A few minutes later a shower of incendiaries struck the building Firemen and volunteers fought the flames. Meanwhile from the microphones broadcasts continued To listeners everywhere there was nothing to indicate that anything out of the usual was happening at the source of the broadcasts

A stick of high explosives burst near the building during the second attack. Every window in Broadcasting House was broken Two bombs fell behind the building, damaging All Souls' Church.

A man went to the door of the BBC to see if it was "quiet outside" The blast blew his clothing off

During this raid which occurred at the peak hour of evening broadcasts, a policeman in the building was killed and a number of staff members were injured.

It was also disclosed today that Church House, Westminster, new administrative headquarters of the Church of England, was seriously damaged and six persons killed in a recent Nazi raid.

Norfolk House, home of the Earl Marshal in St James' Square, and the Strand Palace Hotel were hit and damaged by bombs during a recent raid

NO ONE INJURED

About 1,400 persons live in the hotel, one of London's largest, but no one was injured. Bedroom windows were smashed and framework broken.

The Imperial Service College at Windsor has also been damaged Bombs also hit the London County Council Hospital, formerly Colney Hatch Mental Hospital

MEN FROM U.S. KEEN TO SERVE

Recruiting Office Here Has Applications From Many Americans

Though the United States may for the present, continue to preserve neutrality, and though citizens of the Union have been assured that they will never be called upon to fight on any soil not in American territory, Americans eager for an active part in the war against totalitarianism have found ways of getting into the fight.

They are in Canadian uniform training to go into battle under the Canadian flag. For some time there has been a steady movement of young men from the United States into Canada, singly, in pairs and in groups, to join the Canadian forces In all cases they come to recruiting stations at their own expense, but they don't seem to mind that, and there are many instances of youngsters and older men coming to British Columbia from far distant points in the Pacific Coast states—not always certain that they will be accepted, but willing to take the chance

BY DEVIOUS MEANS

Some of them have the means to buy train or bus tickets; others use their thumbs or "ride the rods" Some groups of lads pool their meagre resources buy an old second-hand car, and drive to a border town, where they sell the car for what it will bring and use what money they have left for the remainder of the journey to the recruiting centre

Most of these lads enter British Columbia by way of Spokane, and present themselves for enlistment at Trail; others find their way to Victoria or Vancouver.

The district recruiting office at Work Point receives letters daily—and sometimes several in one day—from United States citizens seeking information as to how they can join the Canadian army. While some of these letters are obviously from adventurous spirits who can't stay out of a fight, wherever it may be, the majority reflect an eagerness on the part of the writers to do their bit in the war against everything represented by dictatorships Many of the offers of service come from young men of high scholastic and technical ability—men who will make valuable additions to the skilled branches of the army

A recent letter was signed jointly by two young men of Pendleton Ore, who stated that they were ready to come to British Columbia at their own expense if it would be possible for them to join the army and that if there were no barriers in the way of Americans fighting for Canada, they knew of many other young fellows of their own age who would jump at the chance

IMMEDIATE REPLIES

All these letters receive an immediate reply from Lieut.-Col. H. E. Goodman, district recruiting officer who informs the writers of the army standards for enlistment, and of the steps they should take.

Some of the offers of service come from men who are eager to serve but fearful of losing their United States citizenship. Those fears are speedily allayed, for Americans joining the Canadian forces are not required to swear allegiance, and can continue their United States citizenship when the war is over and they get their discharge.

FAVORITE FLAVOR-IT with GOOD COOKS

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Installs New Kiwanis Club Officers

Lieutenant-Governor of this Kiwanis district, DeFore Cramblitt, Anacortes, Wash., acted as installing officer at the Kiwanis ceremonies at the Empress Hotel Monday night, when the club heads for 1941 were assigned to their positions. Shown seated at the head table during the installation banquet are, from left to right: DeFore Cramblitt, lieutenant governor of this Kiwanis district; Darrell W. Spence, retiring president and chairman during the evening; Mrs. DeFore Cramblitt; and T. Percy Waters, new Kiwanis president.

Change Is Made In Abbreviations For Army Units

THE abbreviations C A S F., for Canadian Active Service Force, and N P A M, for Non-Permanent Active Militia, are no longer to be used after the names of Canadian army units, according to orders issued by Defence Headquarters. Instead, the abbreviations to be used are A F, to designate the Active Force, and R F to designate the Reserve Force, the former N P A M. The change has been made in line with the new titles Canadian Active Army and Reserve Army.

DELEGATION TO VISIT VICTORIA

Housewives' League Plans To Aid in Picketing of Hotel Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP) A delegation representing several Vancouver trade unions left for Victoria tonight for a meeting with Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, as the latest step in the strike of sixty-two waiters and bus boys from the Hotel Vancouver demanding higher wages and union recognition

They expect to meet the minister in Victoria tomorrow to discuss the strike and attempt to have him intervene in the dispute.

Meanwhile as plans went forward for a mass "demonstration" of 150 pickets from various trade unions to "surround" the hotel Thursday night, Secretary William Stewart, of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees' Union, announced that the strikers' case had been placed in the hands of a lawyer to consider the possibilities of bringing suit against the hotel under the Criminal Code of Canada

BASIS OF ACTION

Stewart said tonight that J. Van Wyck, general manager of the Canadian National Hotels, refused to re-employ the strikers because they were members of a trade union which the hotel refused to recognize. Stewart said that under the Criminal Code it is an offence to refuse to employ any person because he is a trade union member.

Stewart added that the lawyer probably will give his decision tomorrow as to whether a criminal action against the hotel is feasible

HOUSEWIVES TO PICKET

Meanwhile, Mrs. A Dixon, president of the British Columbia Housewives' League, announced that members of her organization would be among pickets at the hotel on Thursday night. Stewart said that if the 150-picket line failed to bring results Thursday, the same number would be put back on the line again Saturday

At present fifteen men are picketing the hotel

The Hotel and Restaurant Employees' Union to which the strikers belong, has refused the offer of the hotel management that the strikers apply individually for re-employment.

Logger Killed By Falling Snag In Island Camp

W J. Babcock, thirty-seven, employed as a bucker at Camp 5ia of Bloedel, Stewart & Welch operations at Great Central Lake was killed yesterday afternoon by a falling snag according to advices to the Provincial Police Inquest is being arranged. No relatives were known within the province, though the address, 840 Homer Street, Vancouver, was found in Babcock's affects.

CLUB INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

Lieut.-Governor of District Officiates at Ceremony At Empress Hotel

Over 200 Kiwanians, their ladies and members of other service clubs in Victoria gathered at the Empress Hotel Monday night to witness the annual installation of new officers of the Kiwanis Club for the forthcoming year.

Lieutenant-governor of the district, DeFore Cramblitt, Anacortes, Wash., acted as installing officer at the ceremony. T Waters, last year's vice-president, was installed as the head of the Victoria Kiwanians for the forthcoming year He succeeds Darrell W. Spence, past president

Lieut.-Governor Cramblitt was assisted in the ceremony by past Lieut.-Governor Walter M. Walker, of the Victoria club, who also acted as master of ceremonies during the evening's programme.

OTHER OFFICERS

Other officers installed for the new term included, in addition to President Waters, vice-president, Alastair Campbell; secretary, Ralph Matthews and treasurer, Arthur Dowell The directors for 1941 include R W. Hibberson, F. Glenn Hope, W C Lawson, Arnold McDermid, James McMartin, Neil B Pollock and W F Tickle

Joyce Bayliss, elocutionist, provided two monologues for the large audience, both of which were enthusiastically received She was thanked by R W Hibberson, who presented her with a bouquet of flowers. Norman Hill led the community singing during the evening with Cecil Heaton at the piano

The evening concluded with a dance Cards were played by non-dancers.

OFFICE OPENED FOR RECRUITING

Candidates for Air Force Will Be Examined Here In Future

The Royal Canadian Air Force expanded scheme of recruiting was carried a step farther yesterday by the establishment of a recruiting office in Victoria, at the headquarters of the Western Air Command in Belmont House The new recruiting centre will be under the direction of Flying Officer R E Horsfield, who came from Ottawa to act as recruiting officer for Victoria and Vancouver Island.

To meet present and future needs under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, the R C A F is calling for recruits to fill all classes Men who have made application within the past year are rapidly being called up and there is a demand for additional volunteers, so that the force may be in a position to guard against any possible shortage of men

AIR FORCE STANDARDS

Men between the ages of eighteen and thirty-two who satisfy the physical requirements will be accepted for positions as air crew, provided they have passed junior matriculation. Men with two years' high school education will be accepted for training as gunners. Ground crew will be accepted up to the age of forty-five.

In future, candidates for the R C A F will not be required to travel to Vancouver except for the purpose of actual enlistment, when their traveling expenses will be paid. Medical examinations will be conducted here, after the candidates have been interviewed by the recruiting officer.

Men wishing to join the R.C.A.F are asked to communicate with Flying Officer Horsfield at Room 213, Belmont House, as soon as possible After a week in the city, Flying Officer Horsfield will proceed Up-Island, making stops at the various centres for the purpose of interviewing applicants.

Dental Corps Needing Men For Training

The Canadian Dental Corps has a number of vacancies for young men from nineteen to twenty-three years who are physically fit and who have completed matriculation

Applicants will receive a good groundwork in all branches of dentistry and their army training will be found of very great assistance in the event of their wishing to go to university after the war

After they have attained the necessary qualifications they will become sergeants and will receive trades pay in addition to their ordinary pay of 50c a day.

"This is a wonderful opportunity for any young man interested in dentistry," a district recruiting office spokesman emphasized yesterday when the announcement was made

Intending recruits should apply to Bay Street Armoury, Victoria, Seaforth Armoury, Vancouver, or in writing to the District Recruiting Officer, Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt

Resent Taxation

A resolution resenting the proposed 7 per cent assessment to rehabilitate the teachers' pension fund was received at the City Hall yesterday from the council of Courtenay The resolution also recommended that the Provincial Government adopt means other than taxation on land for the payment of educational costs. If endorsed by the City Council, the resolution will be dealt with by the Union of British Columbia Municipalities

VANCOUVER CONTRIBUTES

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP) — Mayor Cornett arranged today to cable £1,000 ($4,470) to the Lord Mayor's Fund for the relief of London's bomb sufferers, Vancouver's second such contribution recently.

Pensions Minister Reviews Aid Given To Ex-Servicemen

Several Government Departments in Co-operation With Private Citizens Giving Attention to Problems of Employment

O[illegible] in a statement tonight that "the problem of the ex-serviceman is being met by a co-ordination of several Government departments in co-operation with private citizens."

He said Labor Minister McLarty has instructed the Employment Service of Canada to give special attention to the employment of ex-servicemen of the present, as well as the last war.

Close attention had been given to arranging effective means for broadening the preference for ex-servicemen in employment on Government contracts, including war contracts.

"Important results have been obtained and the matter is being actively dealt with by several departments," he added.

Mr Mackenzie said contracts have been entered into with St. Dunstan's Hospital in London, England, provincial government sanatoria and other institutions with specialized equipment for the care of men suffering from special types of disabilities

CO-OPERATION ESSENTIAL

The minister said the employment problem and the problem of social readjustment as they affect men who have served in the present war call for the "closest co-operation" of Government departments, private citizens and voluntary associations formed by the public across Canada.

"Fortunately, this co-operation is being afforded in increasing measure," Mr Mackenzie said. "Even from cities which the department has not as yet had official contact, letters of inquiry have been received asking for advice and assistance in enabling local committees to be of effective help to the boys who have served in the war

"This intense interest on the part of citizens generally is greatly appreciated"

Mr Mackenzie said the new veterans' welfare division, announced in a speech he made to the House of Commons early last month, is "in process of formation." The Civil Service Commission had not yet completed selection of personnel for the division, but the work was being carried on by the regular staff of the department

INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED

"In every area, the district administrator has been instructed to delegate a suitable officer to make the welfare of the currently discharged men his special responsibility until the permanent welfare officer is appointed" his statement said.

"Instructions have also been issued to the secretaries of the honorary veterans' assistance committees in all centres where they exist to register discharged soldiers in search of employment"

Mr. Mackenzie listed other steps taken by the Government for the assistance of men who have served in the present war and their dependents.

1. Pension for death or disability incurred as the result of service.
2. Pension at Canadian scale for Canadians entering Imperial forces on or after September 3, 1939
3. Treatment to completion for men discharged as unfit and requiring hospital care.

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCES

4 Notwithstanding the date of formal discharge from service, the dependents of a man continuing in hospital for treatment will receive allowances based on the military scale until the question of entitlement to pension is settled and, if pension is not payable, for seven days after decision has been reached

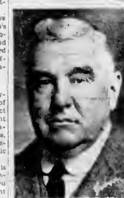
5 Rehabilitation grant equivalent to one month's pay and dependents' allowance to men discharged after six months' service

6. Where a discharged veteran entitled to preferential employment lacks the necessary skill or experience for available employment, the Department of Labor has agreed to place the facilities of the youth training plan at his disposal so he may "acquire training which will help him in his immediate employment problem and be of value to him throughout his life"

There has been many a bachelor shipwrecked on a permanent wave

APPEAL BOARD TO SIT TODAY

Ottawa Pension Commissioners Will Open Hearings in Victoria



COLONEL C. W. PECK, V.C.

Three members of the Board of Pension Commissioners, Colonel C W Peck, Harry Bray and Dr. F P Chute, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Ottawa, and will open appeal hearings in the Postoffice Building this morning at 8 o'clock.

Sittings will be held each day until all cases on hand have been heard. Probably some two dozen appeals await the commissioners here and hearings will likely last three days Colonel Peck, the chairman is the well-known V.C. holder of Sidney, V.I.

Sittings of the board are held periodically throughout the country to take care of cases as they accumulate, and deal with pension applications made by ex-servicemen of the last war or their widows which have not been allowed on the documentary evidence presented Opportunity is given applicants to appear before the Appeal Board if they desire, and resubmit their applications together with any additional evidence they choose to offer in support of their claims.

While here Dr Chute and Mr Bray are registered at the Empress Hotel Colonel Peck is staying at his home in Sidney.

Rotarians Dispose Of Fund Tickets In Local Theatre

Maintaining the steady influx of contributions toward the Lord Mayor of London's Fund for bombed civilians during the last few days of the campaign, the Rotary Club sold over $48 worth of tickets for the diamond brooch during an intermission at the Plaza Theatre.

Fourteen members of the service club, some accompanied by their wives, descended on the audience of the theatre during a special intermission between films The audience responded willingly to the urgings of the Rotarians to buy a chance on the $2,000 brooch.

In addition to the money collected in the Plaza Theatre, over $40 was received at the club headquarters in the mail Although from all points along the Pacific Coast, both north and south of the line, a large part of the money is being received from the far northern points in the province and the Yukon Territory

The Rotarians will continue their sale of tickets during an intermission at the Plaza Theatre all this week, with a special drive toward the end of the week. The winner of the lucky ticket will be chosen at a Rotary function at the Empress Hotel on January 16.

NOTED GUIDE DEAD

MIDDLETON, N.S. Jan 7 (CP)—Stephen Heggie Luxie, patriarch of the Mt. Mac Indians in Nova Scotia and known throughout the Maritimes and New England States as a guide, died in hospital here yesterday It is claimed he celebrated his 108th birthday Christmas Day.

ALTER-ATION

Sale now in full swing at 1212 Douglas. Building to be completely remodelled, prices now completely demoralized.

Mallek's

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Obituary

MULLIGAN — The funeral of Joseph Lawrence Mulligan was held from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home yesterday morning, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Mgr. A. G. Baker celebrated Mass. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery. The pallbearers were C. P. Kelpin, M J. Haley, W. W. W. Baines and Leo Marston.

BRADLEY — Many friends attended funeral services for Richard Hillard Bradley, which were held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Rev. William Allan conducted the services, during which the hymns "Abide With Me" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" were sung Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers R E Harrison, D. Bridges, W. J. Bradley, W. Garner, H Hardman and H. Blackburn

VICKERS—Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel for Florence Adelaide Ann Vickers Rev. Dr. W. C. Western conducted the services during which the hymns "Abide With Me" and "Peace Perfect Peace" were sung Cremation took place in Royal Oak Crematorium, with the following as pallbearers, J. Mossop, J. O. Comerford, P. Greenwood H. Geddes, W. F Hunt and J. Hunt

CRAWFORD—Funeral services for Mrs Isabel Chalmers Crawford will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Rev. Canon R. J. Pierce will conduct the services and interment will be made in Shady Creek Cemetery.

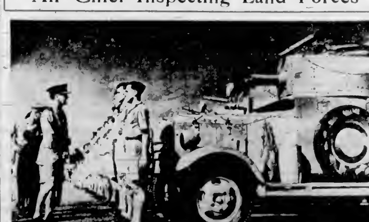
STEPHENSON—The funeral of Rev. F. L. Stephenson will be held this morning, leaving Hayward's B C Funeral Chapel at 10 45, proceeding to St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, where service will be conducted at 11 o'clock Interment will be made in St. Peter's Church, Quamichan. It is requested that no flowers be sent

ROBINSON—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 30 p m, Rev. Canon E. V. Bird officiating and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

PALMER—The funeral of Mrs. Leonora Frances Palmer will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev Canon H V. Hitchcox officiating, and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

REID—The funeral of James Peter Reid was held yesterday morning at the Church of the Assumption, West Saanich, Rev. Father J. J. Cyr officiating Interment was in the church cemetery. The pallbearers were P Craft, J. Ross, J. O. O'Neil, C Ricketts, F Scott and R. Dunaway. Sands Mortuary had charge of the arrangements.

Air Chief Inspecting Land Forces



Inspecting Armored Car Units, Which Have Performed a Trojan Duty in the British Offensive Against Mussolini's Forces in North Africa, Is Air Chief Marshal Sir A Longmore (Officer in Foreground), Air Officer Commander-in-Chief in the Middle East.

To Relieve Bad Cough Quickly, Mix This at Home

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Wednesday, January 8, 1941.

THE SIROIS REPORT

It will be of interest to see how the spirit of national unity operates when the Sirois Report on Federal-Provincial Relations comes up for discussion at Ottawa at a conference to start in a few days' time. No one expects that there will be any conclusions reached at the conference; it is a rehearsal at which the various Provinces are expected to give some inkling of their stand. As a matter of fact no Province, through its Legislature, has yet expressed any opinion on the subject. The Federal and Provincial Ministers who are to canvass the situation are not plenipotentiaries. They have yet to ascertain how public opinion will react. A great deal, however, will be heard at Ottawa about provincial rights. This is the rock that presents the danger of shipwreck to the Sirois Report.

Foreknowledge of the attitude of the Provinces is of an indeterminate character. It is said that the Maritime Provinces will approve the Report, perhaps as a whole. Quebec is expected to oppose some of its main recommendations on the ground that they mean too many incursions on provincial autonomy. What Ontario will do is guesswork, but, if The Financial Post of Toronto is to be believed, the Dominion Government believes that Mr. Mitchell Hepburn will prove "the deadliest foe of all" to the findings. In fact, that publication says that Ottawa expects nothing from Mr Hepburn but "war to the death." Manitoba and Saskatchewan are known to favor the Report; but Alberta is opposed to it. British Columbia, according to Premier T. D. Pattullo, takes exception to many of the findings.

No light has been shed on the extent to which support from the Provinces will be necessary to translate the recommendations of the Sirois Report into legislation. Its future is indefinite, and whatever discussion takes place at the forthcoming conference should have as its leading motive how, if at all, the implementing of the Report would be of assistance in this country's war effort, which is the absorbing preoccupation of the time. It is perhaps especially from this angle that the Dominion Government will recommend its adoption. There is at present very widespread public ignorance of the implications of what is proposed. This will tend to be cleared up in the coming weeks, as the various viewpoints are expressed at the conference. The Report is a matter that, up to date, has received but scant attention, and it may be doubted if even Provincial Governments have thoroughly informed themselves of its contents.

AIR TRAINING SCHEME

The strength of the Royal Australian Air Force is now over 35,500, and this number excludes permanent personnel, administrative and technical staffs. Under the Empire Air Training scheme the first batch of Australian pilots completed training last November. In Australia there has been immense enthusiasm for this scheme, and there have been 84,000 applications. Of these, 14,000 were for air crew duties and 70,000 for ground staffs. The rate of calling up applicants for preliminary training has been speeded up by 25 per cent, with the result that of the 26,000 men now needed for ground staff duties in Australia there are 20,000 already on duty, and during the past year 200 pilots a month have been trained at elementary schools, compared with 200 during the whole of eight months preceding the War.

New Zealand is also concentrating on the Empire Air Training Scheme. In that Dominion 4,000 men have been registered, and now provision has been made for full training for 900 pilots annually and initial training for some 2,000 observers and air gunners. When the programme is in full swing, New Zealand will be providing 3,700 trained men annually. That country has already sent 1,465 pilots, observers and air gunners to Great Britain and this Dominion for advanced training.

Canada has some 30,000 officers and men in the Royal Canadian Air Force, and of these, two months ago, 16,600 were included in the Empire Air Training Scheme. This country is chary about giving any particulars, comparable to those given in other parts of the Empire; but it is known that at the end of October last there were less than 20,000 men in training under the Empire scheme. Recruiting for this force has been active, but there has been a great deal of delay in calling up those who are volunteering. In fact there are instances of youths having volunteered at the beginning of the War who are still awaiting their call.

The Southern Rhodesian pilots who come in under the Empire scheme are receiving their final training in Great Britain. Those from Newfoundland are to come to this country, and it is estimated that between now and April next 21 observers and 134 wireless operators and air gunners will have arrived from there for training. There are now some 150 Newfoundlanders in Canada participating in the Empire scheme.

THE REV. F. L. STEPHENSON

Those who knew the Rev. F. L. Stephenson, and their number is legion, recognized in him one to whom "the end of the commandment is charity out of a pure heart, and of a good conscience, and of faith unfeigned." He had, indeed, "a faith which worketh by love." No man of the cloth was better known in the Northland; none better appreciated. The Diocese of Caledonia benefitted immensely because of his ministration, as did so many to whom he preached the gospel of encouragement in the hard school of the North during his long years of pioneering work for the Church in that part of the Dominion. He ministered to both bodies and souls, to the former because he had originally intended to follow the medical profession, and had put in a year of study to that end. He turned what he had learned to valuable use in conjunction with his diocesan duties, and proved, indeed, how vital it is that one who labors in a pioneering vineyard must be a man of many parts.

For twenty-seven years Mr. Stephenson gave of his best, and it was an excellent best, to the causes which the Diocese of Columbia had closely at heart. In the course of his duties he traveled many thousands of miles in the primitive way. He saw war service with the 49th Battalion (Edmonton), 1916-1919. His life was full of strenuous effort, always directed towards the doing of good for his fellow men. In this city, especially during later years, he became well known. It was here he started his career of meritorious service, and here he ended it, working [illegible] achieve in a similar field of endeavor what Mr. Stephenson accomplished, and in doing so to earn so much love and admiration. His name will become part of the Church history of British Columbia and the Yukon. He was a man of warm sympathies, of noble Christian character, of unremitting conscientiousness in his manifold tasks, and his passing will leave a vacancy in the hearts of innumerable friends, whose deepest sympathy will go out to his widow, sons and daughters.

UNDER THE NAZI THUMB

There has been a good deal of random guesswork about recent negotiations between Berlin and the Vichy Government. The latter is represented as standing in the way of certain German purposes. This may well be doubted, inasmuch as Marshal Petain and those who serve with him have steadily, in all their acts, patterned their policy on the Nazi plane. The men of Vichy, so far as they are allowed to operate by their Nazi conquerors, are dictators. They are not standing in the way of German policy, but collaborating towards its fulfilment. It was at the dictation of Berlin that they deprived General de Gaulle and those associated with him in the Free French movement of their citizenship in France. In view of all this a correspondent in The Gazette, Montreal, asks:

"What is the purpose of Canada in maintaining relations with the present French Government? If, as some people in this country profess to believe, Marshal Petain represents the best interests of France, then France must be considered as hopelessly lost to the cause of freedom, and Canada has no more justification for continuing relations with her than she would have in maintaining them with Berlin and Rome. If, on the other hand, the people of France are not truly represented by Vichy, Canada should come out openly for General de Gaulle, or, failing that, suspend all relations with France until those who now hold office will have been superseded by men in whom complete trust can be placed."

SAINT PAUL'S

Out of the mists that hide the garnered years
Vast in its strength this great dome rises still
Though night by night the wheeling vultures spill
Their fiery cargoes while the sweeping spears,
With probing blades outflung like giant shears,
Arrow the dark, transfixing it at will;
As far below, the tides of Ludgate Hill
Are burdened with a deeper drift of tears.

It shall not perish, though these mighty walls
Be flung to earth in one hate-ridden breath,
Though stabbed with flame the lovely altar falls,
This gallant symbol shall not yield to death
Until that final hour, when dark with rust,
The scythes of Time cease motion and are dust.

—Robina Monkman, in The Canadian Poetry Magazine.

ENGLAND'S SAFETY

Let us be backed with God, and with the seas,
Which He hath given for fence impregnable
And with these helps only defend ourselves;
In them and in ourselves our safety lies

—Shakespeare.

For those that practice violence and cruelty heaven ordains punishment. Often a whole state suffers for one bad man who transgresses and devises presumptuous deeds. Then are great sorrows laid upon the people, and God destroys their great army or makes an end of their ships on the sea.—Hesiod "Works and Days."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 7, 1941.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

Pressure continues low west of Vancouver Island, and is relatively high over the Peace River District. The weather continues unsettled, and mild, throughout British Columbia, with scattered snowfalls over the Interior, and showers on the Coast.

It remains cold in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m., temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min	Max
Victoria		38	48
Nanaimo	.07	37	41
Vancouver	.06	36	43
Kamloops	.04	23	29
Prince George		9	15
Estevan Point	.06	42	49
Prince Rupert	Trace	30	40
Langara		38	41
Atlin		1	12
Dawson	.04	3	19
Seattle	.04	35	52
Portland		34	46
San Francisco	.03	50	59
Spokane	.18	29	36
Penticton		26	
Vernon		22	
Kelowna		27	
Grand Forks		18	
Nelson	.20	26	32
Kaslo		25	
Cranbrook		10	25
Calgary		11*	13
Edmonton		21*	4
Swift Current		13*	3*
Regina		13	4*
Prince Albert		23*	1*
Winnipeg	.15	1	23
Monday—			
Toronto		18	26
Ottawa		5*	13
Saint John		8	21
Halifax		12	22

* Below zero.

TUESDAY

Minimum	38
Maximum	48
Average	43
Minimum on the grass	37

Weather: cloudy, sunshine, Jan. 7, 48 mins.

Total rain for twenty-four hours ending 5:00 p.m. January 7, .07 ins.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.90; wind, E., 10 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.92; wind, E.-NE., 10 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.14; calm; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.08; wind, NE., 5 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.73; wind, N., 6 miles; cloudy.

Langara—Barometer, 29.60; wind, S., 27 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.73; wind, S.-SE., 16 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.80; wind, S.-SE., 27 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 29.86; wind, E.-SE., 16 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.80; wind, NW., 6 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.82; wind, S.-SW., 2 miles; raining.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

"We're off to see the wizard:
The wonderful Wizard of Oz."
—Wizard of Oz.

There it is again, the thing that has puzzled tinpots, crack-pots and despots for one thousand years of history: the soaring, untameable spirit of free men under fire! Australians, storming first into the breach at Bardia, waved their arms [illegible] in file, and sang of the Wonderful Wizard of Oz. Well done, Australia! The Bardia tradition now joins the Gallipoli tradition, in excellent company.

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It must have been an eerie scene, that, in the bitter cold darkness of a desert night. Searchlights hunted feverishly over wadi and plain. Machine guns drummed by nests and batteries, their tracers weaving a reddened path in the air. Tanks snorted, their pom-poms firing in staccato bursts. Ricochets, deflected, whined end over end into the night. The wet smack of a bullet striking human flesh: the dull roar of bursting shells; all the accompaniments of a modern assault at arms—and through it the long, angry files of the Anzacs advancing, singing the song of the scarecrow and the tin men from the Wizard of Oz!

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It is not thus that the British Empire "crumbles." Strategically, Bardia may be of much, or of relatively little, importance in the long fight for freedom. Tactically, it was a brilliant success. Italian airdromes were plastered, and their ships held to the ground. The Royal Air Force swept the skies. The Royal Navy gutted the heavier forts. Iron horse cavalry opened the way, and British bayonets did the rest. In forty-eight hours, General Wavell's forces applied all of the lessons learned in sixteen months of modern warfare. Losses were held to a minimum that is probably without parallel in modern times.

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In two strikes, Sidi Barrani and Bardia, Italy's North African army has been defeated in the field, with all of the consequences. Yet, in a queer way, that does not seem to matter, or to be nearly so important as the spirit of the men who achieved the result. The Bardia song, the Wizard of Oz, seems to come out on top of everything, a new tradition to add to a long line of traditions, testifying to the unquenchable spirit of free men in defence of that freedom. It is the Italian "empire" that is crumbling, as Mr. Churchill said that it would; as must, and will, crumble the empire of any race that sets itself against the rising tide of freedom, in a world grown tired of chains.

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This is the year of decision. This is the year, if ever, that we shall know the tears, toil and sweat that we were promised, before mankind once again reclaims his better, brighter day. But in the darknesses, and they may be many and profound, the Bardia song will help a little to lighten the way. Australia gave us that. Australia gave us men who danced to their death singing: "We're off to meet the wizard: the Wonderful Wizard of Oz."

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Bulldog Breed

One of the proudest ladies in Victoria on Monday received a silver Distinguished Service Cross won by her naval lieutenant husband for conspicuous gallantry at Dunkerque. In a recent letter to his father-in-law the intrepid but modest naval officer made a brief reference to diving off the side of his vessel to push away a floating mine. But the brave incident was not connected with the first award . . . A new fund for the purchase of incendiary bombs to be rained on the Nazis has been opened in England, according to a short-wave broadcast. Donors will have the privilege of having painted on the sides of the missiles such trite remarks as "This is on me, Adolph," "Hello Hitler, now you're littler," or "Compliments of Churchill and the Empire." With the myriad of funds in Canada, there should still be room for such a fund here . . . Aldermen have seen fit to hold future meetings at night, instead of in the afternoon. Most principal cities in Canada hold council meetings in either the morning or afternoon. At night the aldermen would be assured of a larger audience. We still maintain it is far more pleasant to read a newspaper report of a meeting rather than be bored stiff for two or three hours . . . In view of the shortage of coal, Italians have been urged by "Muss" to wear longer Winter underwear. Too bad the spaghetti eaters chose the wrong side in the war.—G.B.

Sunrise and Sunset

JANUARY

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1941.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8 04	16 42	17	7 53	17 28
2	8 04	16 38	18	7 52	16 30
3	8 04	16 51	19	7 50	16 31
4	8 05	16 32	20	7 17	16 03
5	8 05	16 39	21	7 50	16 34
6	8 00	16 50	22	7 45	16 40
7	[illegible]	[illegible]	23	7 34	16 57
8	8 00	16 32	24	7 43	16 50
9	8 00	16 10	25	7 45	17 01
10	8 03	16 19	26	7 51	17 [illegible]
11	8 08	12 00	27	7 42	17 04
12	8 03	16 42	28	7 42	17 05
13	8 02	16 43	29	7 07	17 07
14	8 01	16 40	30	7 44	17 08
15	8 30	16 40	31	7 44	17 10
16	8 30	16 47			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

EXCHANGING ATTACHES

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 7 (CP)—As a result of conferences in Washington concerning the security of the Pacific, Australia and the United States have decided to exchange naval attaches for the first time, it was learned today.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

EXTERMINATION

Sir,—Far be it from me to discuss the ethics of so vast an undertaking as the extermination of the entire German people, but there are one or two points regarding the methods and results of such a scheme which I do not fully understand.

The extermination of approxi- [illegible] and children is no light matter. What do the advocates of such a plan suggest? A clean sweep by mass slaughter? Or sterilization?

Is it a question of nationality or racial origin? If the scheme is based on nationality would not this include many Germans who are not in sympathy with the Hitler regime and have already suffered from it because of their religious, political, or personal beliefs? If it is based on racial origin how far back in years and generations are we to go? If anyone with German blood among his ancestors is to be included would not this affect the majority of royal families in Europe and many loyal citizens of the British Empire, the United States, and the Nazi-occupied countries?

What would be the results of such a scheme? Would it promote a spirit of fellowship and trust among the remaining peoples? Would it further the democratic principles and ensure a lasting European peace?

Is it not generally admitted that this is not a war between sovereign states but between groups of men who hold conflicting ideas about a way of life? Between the tyrants of totalitarianism and the defenders of democracy?

By the extermination of an entire people would we not be adopting that very way of life against which all the energies of this war are directed? R. CHAMBERS.
R.R. 2, Ladysmith, B.C., January 6, 1941.

A SUGGESTION

Sir,—I notice that many of our recruits in brown uniform wear their trousers tucked into their socks, and it has occurred to me that short leather leggings would not only give more of that smart military aspect, but would be far more comfortable in wet weather.

When surveying in New Zealand more than sixty years ago I had made something similar to what is now called spats, viz., short leggings of brown soft leather, that came above the ankles about six inches, fastened with a buckle and brought over the instep, with a piece of leather about an inch wide that went under the boot close to the heel and held the legging in position.

I got a good tip, too, from the armed constabulary, which was simply an eyelet hole let in, not through the sole of the boot, but under the instep, as it were, so that when wading across a creek or water course, and our boots got full of water, it went out again through the eyelet hole. I used this style of legging for many years. They were inexpensive, most comfortable, easy to slip on, and I'm sure would be preferable to trousers tucked into white socks, for, of course, you know, Mr. Editor, "there's nothing like leather."

ALFRED MANSFIELD.
1761 Pembroke Street, Victoria, B.C., January 6, 1941.

JUST WANT OF THOUGHT

Sir,—

More harm is wrought by want of thought
Than e'er by want of heart!

One hundred and eighty-two years ago, on the 25th of this very month, there was born in an Ayrshire, biggin', the while Boreas howled around the humble dwelling eventually blowing in the side of the rude structure, a laddie whose name was destined to become immortal. He had little learning from the schools, but Dame Nature touched his tongue with living fire and endowed him with a spark of that divine genius possessed by David the shepherd lad and sweet singer of Israel, Homer and Shakespeare, Abraham Lincoln and Charles Dickens, to say nothing of the ancient Chinese philosophers and Hindoo rhapsodists.

I have had occasion recently as a humble pedestrian to walk down Camosun Street towards the High School during the midday recess, when a considerable number of the students were taking a walk and enjoying luncheons at the same time. The building has always struck me as being a very fine tribute to the people of Victoria who have provided such a noble seat of learning for the future men and women of this community, and I have no doubt that a good deal of the knowledge gained by these favored students is as worthy as the institution in which it was obtained.

On several occasions, however, I have been led to wonder if such information as has been imparted may not have been obtained at the expense of a more correct way of thinking. I have noticed an absence of thought, or say consideration, for other people's welfare in the indiscriminate manner in which these young students, the girls I fancy being possibly the worst offenders, have discarded the skins of bananas or oranges upon the sidewalk, to the very possible danger of elderly pedestrians whose steps may be feeble and eyesight poor.

This may appear but a trifling flaw in an otherwise perfect character, but a just and true appreciation of such consideration as is due from one another, especially from young and wisely-instructed students towards their elders, is surely worth as much consideration as learning when and when not to split an infinitive, or even to successfully negotiate the "Pons asinorum."

The Scottish laddie above referred to expressed it thus:

What's a' your jargon o' your schools—
Your Latin names for horns an' stools?
If honest Nature made you fools,
What sairs your grammars?
A set o' dull, conceited hashes
Confuse their brains in college classes!
They gang in stirks, and come out asses,
Plain truth to speak;
An' syne they think to climb Parnassus
By dint o' Greek!

By all means let us provide the very best for our young people. To give them sound minds in sound bodies is surely all to the good, but let us not forget the simple rules that rob daily life of some of its asperities and help to make living—as well as the knowledge of life!—really worth while.

DAVID GRIEVE TUCKWELL.
Pembroke Street, Victoria, B.C.
January 6, 1941.

"LOOKING FORWARD"

Sir,—The above was the heading to one of your leaders in your issue of Saturday, January 4.

The first paragraph briefly states Sir Edward Beatty's views as regards the future and his recommendation that thrift as a national economic policy should be the order of the day. This certainly would be one factor in solving our problems, but I am quite convinced that Sir Edward does not mean to suggest that thrift alone would solve all the gigantic problems which confront us. It is foolish to suggest such a thing.

The second paragraph commences with inverted commas which suggest quotation, but I fancy this must be a mistake, as the views expressed are a complete refusal to admit that any change to the existing order is necessary and these are views I cannot conceive any enlightened person expressing.

One has only to consider the political disaster which has overtaken Germany, Italy and France and study just superficially the chaos which existed in those countries in political thought, to realize that such an unstable state would easily be taken advantage of by a revolutionary element—to further realize that such a condition exists in quite a dangerous measure in this country and might easily develop still further. We cannot afford to ignore the views which are held by the large number of political parties which exist in this country or, for the matter of that, in the world. They represent a frantic effort on the part of the people to find some way out of our present chaos (apart from the war).

We are bound to assess a value to the various outlooks. It is foolish to throw all advanced ideas aiming, rightly or wrongly, at the betterment of mankind, into one pot and label them revolutionary.

The great fault of the democracies is their refusal to allow that any change is necessary in the political set-up, so that it may evolve in harmony with the ever-changing conditions brought about by science and invention in the modern productive world. Nothing is static in this world.

I think we can say with certainty that the old regime of political thought in Britain died with the passing of Chamberlain. It will mark a distinct phase in the history of England.

It should be patent at the present time to any thinking person that Britain is now a socialist state, brought about by the present state of emergency. This will continue after the war.

If further proof is wanted, one has only to consider the changes which have taken place in the British Cabinet since Chamberlain's death. Labor would not be so wholeheartedly aiding in the furtherance of this war, without murmur, unless it felt sure that it would have a hand in shaping the destiny of the state when peace comes.

The failure to realize that democracy, in order to survive, must progress (in the same manner that a dictator must show progress or go under) is responsible in a great measure for the present war.

It has not been so much the ability of Hitler which has reduced Europe to its present state, but the criminal refusal or inability of some of our statesmen to read and understand the changes which are constantly taking place in the world.

I entirely disagree with the writer of your article that we should leave the planning of the future until after the war. Sound planning at the present time would have a most heartening effect on the people of the democracies, and would give some glimmer of hope that the future would hold something better in store for them as a whole.

The change which is to come in Britain is openly broadcast to the world; it constitutes in the main a fair deal to all, which is the teaching of Christ.

His Majesty the King in his last speech to the Empire forecast a change.

The evolution towards equalization in class has been in progress for hundreds of years, but enormous strides have taken place in the last 150 years.

Ask yourselves what can stop this evolution, and who should want to? R. S. JOHNSON.
Sea View Road, Cadboro Bay, B.C.,
January 7, 1941.

REPRISALS

Sir,—I cannot believe that any of our citizens who recognize and try to practice principles of justice, honesty and humanity, after serious and earnest consideration of all its implications, would advocate that our airmen should be given orders for indiscriminate bombing and the machine-gunning of people on the roads and in towns as done by the enemy.

In connection with this matter I think it is time the phrase "women and children" ceased to be used as if a woman were the link between adult and childhood! Some women are on active service and all are on the home front today—so have to face the same dangers as militants, like the men in uniform. "Aged people and children" would be the right grouping, as well, of course, as invalids today—and many heroes and heroines of all ages are among them in the Old Country. Bless them.

ALICE COLCLOUGH.
View Royal, Jan. 6, 1941.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of January 8, 1891)

University of B.C.—This morning at 11 o'clock the members of the Council of the University of British Columbia will meet in the Legislative Assembly building to discuss the proposed amendments to the charter which were prepared at the meeting which took place recently at Vancouver. Among those who have arrived in Victoria in order to be present, are R. P. Cooke, vice-chancellor, Rev. E. D. Maclaren, and C. Whetham, Vancouver, Rev. E. Robson, New Westminster, and Dr. Tunstall, Kamloops.

Wrestling Match—A letter has been received from San Francisco, by Dan McLeod, of Nanaimo, containing the details of a match made in that city between Acton and himself for $1,000 a side, to come off between February 28 and March 8. A $200 forfeit has already been posted and another $400 on both sides will be posted on January 14. The conditions are catch-as-catch-can, best two falls in three, the winner to take seventy-five per cent of the gate receipts and the loser twenty-five per cent. Already large sums of money have been bet on the result.

H.M.S. Melpomene—Alderman John Robertson has obtained the contract for nine ventilators to be placed in H.M.S. Melpomene. The work is to be completed with all possible expedition.

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R.A.F. Man Sends Editor Greetings

Six and a half weeks en route, a card of Christmas greetings and good wishes has just been received by The Colonist from Henry A. Bruce, one of the regular readers of this journal, who is now overseas with the Royal Air Force.

One of two R.A.F. sons of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sutton Bruce, Agnes Street, Colquitz, Henry wrote his card from the Beaver Club, London, which is the Canadian soldier's "home from home." He stated that he was enjoying himself very much in the services of the Royal Air Force, and found "everlasting hospitality at the Beaver Club." He and his younger brother, Douglas, who left Victoria on the day that war was declared between Britain and Germany in September, 1939, are stationed about eighty miles out of London and, despite the fact that everyone in England is today "living dangerously," find life interesting and enjoyable.

Both boys have many friends in Victoria, having attended Mount View High School. They are two in a family of eight sons.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1941.

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
1	7 31	6.7	11 40	7.4	16 45	7.0	22 27	3.7
2	7 48	6.7	12 20	7.1	15 20	7.2		
3	0 02	3.0	8 00	6.0	14 05	6.2	18 00	8.0
4	0 34	4.4	8 35	6.0	12 13	2.8	19 00	8.6
5	0 40	6.1	9 30	6.0	17 03	2.2		
6			9 25	6.0	17 30	4.0		
7			9 22	8.0	12 06	4.0		
8			10 17	8.0	12 27	8.4		
9			10 40	8.1	13 07	2.0		
10			11 10	9.2	12 36	8.2		
11	0 43	9.2	9 45	8.1	11 00	8.2	20 00	1.0
12	0 50	8.2	7 45	8.1	12 33	8.4	20 40	1.0
13	0 15	8.2	6 27	8.0	12 00	8.4	21 10	1.2
14	0 20	8.5	8 10	7.0	13 22	8.1	21 43	1.0
15	0 30	8.4	10 10	7.4	14 40	8.4	22 34	2.0
16	0 12	8.4	11 03	7.0	13 25	8.2	23 14	2.0
17	0 33	8.0	12 03	8.1	18 06	7.5	23 54	3.4
18	7 04	8.7	12 09	8.0	18 12	8.0		
19	0 35	4.3	7 30	8.2	14 10	2.1	12 46	2.4
20	1 14	2.2	2 15	8.1	15 20	4.2	22 03	8.0
21	1 33	8.1	2 32	8.4	14 24	8.5		
22			9 35	8.4	17 20	2.0		
23			10 21	8.5	10 20	2.2		
24	4 17	8.1	6 02	8.0	11 12	0.5	19 05	1.0
25	4 42	8.4	6 07	8.1	11 58	8.4	19 40	1.0
26	5 16	0.5	7 50	7.0	12 42	8.7	20 30	1.4
27	3 40	8.6	2 40	7.2	13 26	2.0	21 20	1.0
28	6 03	8.4	9 22	7.2	14 12	0.5	21 42	2.2
29	0 22	8.4	10 10	8.0	15 00	8.1	22 24	2.0
30	0 50	8.4	11 10	8.5	15 40	7.5	22 00	3.0
31	0 15	8.4	12 10	8.2	12 40	8.0	22 30	4.2

The time is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

RETURN DETECTIVE AS HEAD OF UNIT

Detective Henry P. Jarvis was re-elected president of the Victoria City Police Mutual Benefit Association for the sixth consecutive year during the annual meeting at the police station yesterday afternoon. Magistrate Henry C. Hall and Chief J. A. McLellan were named honorary presidents.

Others re-elected were Constable Harry Mercer, treasurer; Constable Stanley Holmes, secretary, and Detective David Donaldson and Sergeant George Varney, auditors. Constable Arthur Rudge was elected first vice-president and Constable Alec Nichol second vice-president.

According to Culbertson

The most important point in "trapping" the opponents is not to overdo it. It is sound, even shrewd, to give them enough rope to hang themselves, but if you give them too much rope, they are likely to alight, comparatively safely, on the ground.

In the deal shown below a defender's "killer instinct" overrode his judgment.

South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 9 5
♥ 7 4
♦ 7 2
♣ Q J 10 9 8 3 2

WEST
♠ K J 8
♥ A Q 5
♦ A J 10 5
♣ K 7 4

EAST
♠ 10 6 4 3
♥ 10 9 8 6 3
♦ K 9 6 4
♣ —

SOUTH
♠ A Q 7 2
♥ K J 2
♦ Q 8 3
♣ A 6 5

The bidding

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

I strongly approve West's pass to one spade and, less strongly, his second pass to two no trump. By playing 'possum in this way it appeared that he might lure the opponents into a contract that could be doubled with crushing effect, but when North signed off with three clubs and South, in the face of this warning, raised to four clubs, it was nothing but wild optimism on West's part that made him hope for further bidding. It should have struck him as amazing enough that, with four honor tricks in his own hand, the opponents had ventured to such a high level, and it was inconceivable that North could have the values to bid game. South, by opening the bidding, then going to two no trump, and finally raising the clubs, had announced great strength (far more than he actually held) and West should have realized that neither North nor East could hold so much as one honor trick if South's bidding were remotely correct. West should have congratulated himself that his extraordinary restraint thus far had panned out so well and should not have pinned any faith on a miracle. He should have entered the auction over South's four club with a quiet but firm double, and then sat back waiting for the plums to drop in his lap.

Against the undoubled contract, East opened the heart ten. Dummy's jack covered and West's queen won. Not being able to count on East for such an exalted card as the diamond king, West now exited with a low club. Declarer's nine spot held and East signaled with the eight of diamonds, thereby showing West a simple line of defence. The result was that the declarer was helpless. With all the key cards, the spade king, the heart ace, and the club king, lying over South's strength, he could not avoid the loss of six tricks, one spade, two hearts, two diamonds, and a club, hence was down three on his contract.

The 300 points this represented was very light punishment for the over-vigorous bidding that South had done. By the same token, it was woefully inadequate profit for the defenders, who should have translated the 300 points into 800 by the simple utterance of "double" on West's part. In bridge, as in the stock market, it is very expensive to "overstay one's market."

TOMORROW'S HAND

North, dealer.
East-West vulnerable.
Rubber bridge

NORTH
♠ J
♥ A J 10 8
♦ A 8 3
♣ A K J 7 4

WEST
♠ Q 9 6 5
♥ 7 5 4
♦ 6 2
♣ Q 8 3 2

EAST
♠ A 8 7 4 3 2
♥ K
♦ 10 5 4
♣ 10 6 5

SOUTH
♠ K 10
♥ Q 6 3 2
♦ K Q J 7 9
♣ 9

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

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WHAT'S DOING ON THE LOCAL RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

The first seasonal shipment of Southern navels is expected during the latter part of this week from California. The regular consignment of oranges will come in today, wholesalers said.

Three cars of Dry Belt potatoes from Kamloops arrived yesterday. Other incoming produce yesterday included California lettuce and Texas spinach. There are plenty of Bahamas tomatoes available, of very fine quality and at reasonable prices, wholesalers reported. The celery market was reported to be firm.

On Monday a new shipment of Chula Vista celery will arrive here.

Retail Markets

Fruits		
Texas Grapefruit, 3, 4 and 6 for		.25
Okanagan Pears, 1 doz.	.20 to	.60
Texas Grapes, 1 lb. for		.10
Emperor Grapes, 5 lbs. for		.25
Bananas	1 lb., 11; doz. .30 to	.50
California Grapefruit	3 to 7 for	.25
California Lemons, doz.	.20 to	.40
Oranges—		
Navels, doz.	.20 to	.60
Apples (fancy)—		
Okanagan McIntosh, 6 lbs.		.25
Delicious, doz.	.23 to	.30
Newtowns, doz.	.25 to	.30
McIntosh Reds, doz.	.25 to	.30
Spitz, 3 lbs. for		.25
Wagners, 3 lbs. for		.25
Calavos, small each	.20, 2 for	.35
Pineapples, each	.35 to	.40
Cranberries, 1 lb.		.20
Mission Rhubarb, 2 lbs.		.25
Vegetables		
Local Cabbage		.05
Peppers, green, lb.		.30
California Celery, each	.15, 2 for	.25
Local Parsley, 1 bunch		.08
Parsnips, lb.		.04
Local Onions, lb.		.03
Local Cauliflower, each	.10 to	.15
California Cauliflower, each		.20
Turnips, lb.		.05
Okanagan Onions, 1 lb.		.05
Green Onions, bunch		.05
Local Carrots, bunch		.08
Sweet Potatoes, 5 lbs. for		.25
California Lettuce	.10 each, 2 for	.15
Vegetable Marrow, lb.		.02
Mexican and Bahamas Tomatoes, lb.		.30
Potatoes—		
Local, 10 lbs.		.25
Yakima Gems, 6 lbs.		.25
Kamloops Gems, 10 lbs.		.25
Ashcroft Gems, 10 lbs.		.25
Fish		
Smoked Red Salmon		.35
Soles, 2 lbs.		.30
Red Salmon, lb.	.25 to	.35
Local Cured Black Cod		.22
Large Eastern Kippers, lb.		.20
Local Kippers, 2 lbs.		.35
Fresh Cod, 2 lb.		.15
Ladysmith Oysters, half pint		.25
Salt Cod		.23
Olga Chix, box		.30
Haddies, lb.		.20
Boneless Herring		.30
Smoked Cod	.20 and	.25
Haddie Fillets		.25
Fresh Smelts		.25
Local Bloaters, 2 lbs.		.25
Sooke Shrimps, per lb.		.25
Poultry		
Chicken, per lb.		.27
Heavy Fowl, per lb.		.28
Light Fowl, per lb.		.25
Turkey, No. 1	.37 to	.40
Retail Beef		
Prime Rib Roast	.20 to	.28
Loin Roast	.25 to	.40
Pot Roast	.12 and	.15
T-Bone Steak	.35 to	.45
Round Steak	.25 to	.30
Rump Roast	.25 to	.28
Boiling Beef	.12 and	.14
Hamburger Steak	.18 to	.20

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2492.

To producer—	
Grade "A" large	.19
Grade "A" medium	.17
Grade "A" pullet	.15
Following are city wholesale—	
Grade "A" large	.23
Grade "A" medium	.21
Grade "A" pullet	.19

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Jan 7 (CP). — Spot Butter, Quebec (92 score), 34 1-8; Quebec (92 score), fresh, 34 1-8 to 34 1-8; Quebec (38 score), fresh, 33 1-4a. Eggs, Eastern "A" large, 26 to 27; "A" pullets, 22 to 23.

Butter Futures: January 34 1-2; February 34 1-8 to 34 5-8.

KOOTENAY BELLE MINES

VANCOUVER, Jan 7 (CP).—Kootenay Belle Gold Mines Co., Ltd., report production for the month of December amounted to approximately $22,000 from the milling of 2,445 tons of ore. Production for November was slightly higher when 2,422 tons were milled at a value of $28,703.

NOW, WHERE ARE WE?

He—I love you—

She—But I haven't a cent in the world.

He—I didn't finish. I love you not—

She—So! I wanted to try you. I have $50,000.

He—You interrupted me. I love you not for your money's sake—"

She—I'm glad because that was only a joke about the $50,000.

AHEM!

Customer—Usher, take me to the centre door or aisle."

Usher—Or you'll what?

Little Stories for Bedtime

A Moonlight Visit

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Billy Mink was just plain mad. He had begun to get that way when he found the trap set at the entrance to one of his favorite holes. But when he found a little fence on each side of the Laughing Brook right across where he was in the habit of running when traveling up and down the Laughing Brook, and in the middle of each little fence an opening with a trap in it, Billy lost his temper completely. He ground his teeth and his eyes grew red with rage. You see he knew that those traps had been set especially for him.

"I despise a trapper," snarled Billy. "Yes, sir, I despise a trapper. It is bad enough to be hunted, but then a fellow does have some show. He knows where the danger is and what to look out for. If he is reasonably smart he can fool the hunter. But traps don't give a fellow any show at all. They are sneaky things. They jump up and grab a fellow without any warning at all. I hate traps and I hate trappers! I wonder if I can find any more traps along the Laughing Brook?"

Billy continued on up to the very beginning of the Laughing Brook but found no more traps. Then he curled up in one of his favorite hiding places to rest and think things over. He was strongly tempted to go away from the Laughing Brook altogether. He thought of going down to the Big River for a long visit. He felt sure that if he kept away from the Laughing Brook the trapper would become discouraged and after a while take up his traps. He had just about made up his mind to leave that very night when he happened to remember that while he knew all about those traps, he had friends who didn't know anything about them. "I guess I'll stay around a while and see what happens," muttered Billy.

That night Billy went for another look at those traps. By and by, a

"Booh!" said Billy

little noise caught his quick ears. Instantly he was alert and watchful. There was a rustling of leaves, and then out on an old log full in the moonlight crept a plump form and sat down. One glance was enough for Billy. Without a sound, he slipped up behind the plump form.

"Booh!" said Billy, and when he said that Bobby Coon almost fell into the Laughing Brook, he was so startled. You see, it was Bobby who had come out on that old log and at the time he was very busy washing some food. You know if he can eat he always washes his food before eating.

For a minute Bobby lost his temper. But it was only for a minute. Then, having washed his food to his satisfaction, he began to eat his supper, and at the same time to gossip with Billy Mink. He told Billy all the news of the Green Forest, most of which was no news at all to Billy, for there is little going on that Billy doesn't know. Then Billy told Bobby the news of the Laughing Brook, everything except about the traps and trapper. It was a very pleasant visit they had there together in the moonlight.

Next story: Billy Mink Warns Bobby Coon.

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Dealings Slow in Featureless Day On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP). — After three moderately rising sessions, leading stocks were sidetracked in today's market.

Narrow irregularity persisted from the start except for a few strong spots among specialties and senior issues and trends were indefinite at the close.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was unchanged at 44.01. Dealings were relatively slow, transfers totaling 525,540 shares, compared with 720,800 yesterday.

Bullish sentiment still was present in Wall Street, but this was diluted to considerable extent by further apprehension over the possibility of this country actively joining the European war and the revival of worries regarding the mounting tax bill which will confront business and industry as well as the wage-earning public.

Isolated share climbers included preferreds of Foster Wheeler and Franklin Simon. The former was up 5 points and the latter 3, both at new 1940-41 peaks.

Modest improvement was retained by Bohn Aluminum, Paramount Pictures, Corn Products, Consolidated Aircraft, Montgomery Ward, Studebaker, Western Union, American Can, Allied Chemical, Santa Fe, Johns-Manville and U.S. Rubber preferred.

On the offside were Chrysler, U.S. Steel, Sears Roebuck, Glenn Martin, Dow Chemical, J. C. Penney, Savage Arms, Westinghouse, Texas Corp., Great Northern, Kennecott and American Telephone.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials, 133.02, up .19.
Twenty rails, 28.39, off .01.
Twenty utilities, 20.07, up .02.
Total sales, 530,000.

(R. A. Humber Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Bid	Asked
Allied Chemicals	166	166
Allis Chalmers	36	36-4
American Can	91-5	91-7
American L. & Z.	7-4	7-5
Amer. Locomotive	18	18-4
Amer. P. & L.	2-4	2-5
Amer. Rolling Mills	43-4	43-4
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	167-5	168
Anaconda Copper	26-6	26-7
Atchison Railway	19-1	19-2
Atlantic Refining	23-5	23-6
Amer. Woollens pfd.	37-3	38-1
B. & O. Railway	3-3	3-6
Bendix Aviation	34-3	34-5
Beth. Steel	87-3	87-4
Boeing	[illegible]	[illegible]
Briggs	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. P. R.	3-3	3-4
Case (J. I.)	66-6	66-2
C. & O. Railway	42-4	42-6
Chrysler	70	70-2
Cont. Can	40	40-4
Cons. Aircraft	27-0	28
Crown Zellerbach	14-7	15
Crucible Steel	45-5	45-7
Curtiss Wright	9	9-2
Curtiss Wright "A"	29-6	30
Douglas Aircraft	77-6	78-6
Dupont	164	165
Eastman Kodak	140	141-4
Elec. Auto Lite	32-5	33
Freeport Texas	36	36-3
General Foods	39-2	39-5
General Electric	34-5	34-6
General Motors	48	48-3
Goodyear	19-1	19-4
Granby Copper	6	6-1
Great Northern	25-5	25-5
Great West Sugar	20-4	20-7
Howe Sound	36-4	37-1
Inspiration Copper	12-7	13
Intl. Harvester	52-2	53-4
Intl. Nickel	24-6	25
Ind. Rayon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ill. Central	7	7-2
Johns Manville	62	63
Kennecott Copper	36	36-4
Loew's	33-4	33-7
Mack Truck	32-3	32-4
Minn. Honeywell	43-2	44-4
Monsanto Chemical	97-2	97-6
Montgomery Ward	38-7	39
Nash Kelvinator	5	5-1
Natl. Dairy	14	14-1
New York Central	13-6a	13-7
North American Aviation	16-6	17
Northern Pacific	6-3	6-5
Ohio Oil	7-5	7-6
Pacific Gas & Electric	28-1	28-4
Packard	3-2	3-4
Paramount Pictures	11-2	11-4
Penn. Railway	23-5	24
Peoples Gas	38	39
Phillips Pete	40	40-4
Pullman	26	26-3
Pure Oil	8-1	8-3
Radio	4-5	4-6
Republic Iron & Steel	21-7	22-1
Safeway Stores	44	44-3
Schenley	10-4	11
Sears Roebuck	77-4	78
Socony Vacuum	9	9-1
Southern Pacific	8	8-1
Southern Rly.	12-6	12-5
Sperry Corpn.	37-3	37-4
Standard Brands	6-3	6-4
Standard Gas	1	1-2
Standard Oil, Cal.	20	20-7
Standard Oil, N. J.	35-3	35-6
Stewart Warner	8	8-1
Studebaker	8-4	8-5
Texas Corpn.	39	39-2
Texas Gulf	36-6	37
Twentieth Century Fox	7	7-1
Union Carbide	70-2	70-4
Union Oil, Cal.	12-6	12-7
Union Pacific	80-4	81-4
United Aircraft	43-4	43-7
United Airlines	16-2	16-4
United Fruit	69-6	70
United Gas & Imp.	10	10-1
U. S. Indus. Alcohol	26-4	26-4
U. S. Rubber	21-5	21-7
U. S. Rubber pfd.	55-2	60
U. S. Smelting	63	63-4
U. S. Steel	68-4	68-6
Vanadium	33-4	33-7
Warner Bros.	3-1	3-2
Westinghouse Air Brake	21-3	22
Westinghouse Electric	102-4	103-4
Western Union	21-3	21-6
Woolworth	34-2	34-4
Zenith Radio	14-6	15-1

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.10	.11
Ajax	.16	.22
Aldermac	.14	.16
Bagamac	.12	.16
Bankfield	.07	.07½
Base Metals	1.15	1.17
Big Missouri	.05	.05
Bralorne	10.00	10.37
Buffalo Ankerite	5.1	5.35
C. & F. Corpn.	1.32	1.35
Canadian Malartic	.47	.52
Central Patricia	1.86	1.90
Chesterville	1.85	1.86
Dome	24.00	24.37
Eldorado Kirkland	.09	.09½
East Malartic	2.68	2.70
Eldorado	.48	.50
Falconbridge	3.00	2.45
Gods Lake	.30	.35
Gunnar Gold	.36	.36
Hard Rock	1.02	1.05
Hollinger	13.00	13.25
Home Oil	2.25	2.33
Hosco	.28	.30
Hudson Bay M. & S.	25.50	
Intl. Nickel	24.00	24.25
Kirkland Lake	.86	.86
Kerr Addison	2.70	2.80
Lakeshore	16.8	16.35
Leitch Gold	.57	.60
Little Long Lac	2.00	2.05
McIntyre	51.00	52.25
Macassa	4.00	4.10
McKenzie Red Lake	1.30	1.34
McLeod Cockshutt	2	2.20
McWatters	.27	.24
Mining Corpn.	.80	.83
Moneta	.52	.54
Morris Kirkland	.05	.05
Nipissing	1.05	1.20
Noranda	57.50	57.75
O'Brien	1.08	1.10
Pamour	1.53	1.55
Powell Rouyn	.98	1.04
Paymaster	.33	.34
Pend Oreille	1.75	1.85
Perron Gold	1.60	1.64
Pickle Crow	2.85	2.90
Pioneer	2.15	2.30
Premier	.90	.96
Preston East Dome	2.25	2.35
Reno	.12	.15
San Antonio	2.00	2.63
Sherritt-Gordon	.60	.64
Siscoe	.65	.70
Sladen Malartic	.34	.54
Sudbury Basin	.39	.41
Sullivan	1.30	1.39
Steep Rock	.40	.44
Teck Hughes	1.40	1.73
Toburn	1.00	3.05
Upper Canada	1.51	1.60
Ventures	.40	.40
Waite Amulet	2.75	2.10
Wright-Hargreaves	3.20	3.50
	3.80	4.00
	6.60	7.00

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	153	155
Brazilian Traction	7	7
Bralorne Corpn.	.90	1.10
Brewers & Distillers	5	
B. A. Oil	17½	17½
B. C. Power A	25	30
B. C. Power B	1	
Building Products	14	15
Canada Cement	6	6
Canada Malting	36	38
Can. Car & Foundry	6	8
Can. Industrial Alcohol "A"	3½	4½
Can. Industrial Alcohol "B"		3½
Canadian Pacific	5½	5
Cockshutt Plow	6½	
Distillers-Seagrams	20	26
Dominion Bridge	25	26
Dominion Steel & Coal	9	9½
Dominion Stores	4	
Ford of Canada	14½	15
Gatineau Power	8½	
General Steelwares	6	6½
Gypsum	3	3
Hamilton Bridge	4½	5
Hiram Walker	44½	45
Imperial Oil	12	10
Imperial Tobacco	13	14
Intl. Nickel	34½	34
Intl. Pete	14	
Lake of the Woods	15	16
Laura Secord	10½	11
Massey-Harris	3	3
McColl-Frontenac	7	8
National Breweries	29½	
National Steel Car	37	39
Page Hersey		105
Power Corpn.		6
Shawinigan		17
Steel of Canada		69
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	71	74

Banks

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Bank of Commerce	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bank of Montreal	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bank of Nova Scotia	[illegible]	[illegible]
Royal Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]

Averages

Industrials, 101.81, down 12
Golds, 49.86, down 17
Metals, 67.67, down 05
Oils, 25.88, up 03
Sales, 247,000

Children don't study geography any more; they follow it.

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 7 (AP). — British stock closings in sterling: Austin "A" 13s 0d; British America Tobacco, 88s 1 1-2d; British Celanese 3s 9d; Carreras "A," 14; Central Mining, £10 1-2; Consolidated Goldfields, 38s 1 1-2d; Crown, £12 5-8; East Geduld, £9 7-8; H.B.C., 22s; Rand, £6 1-4; Vickers, 15s 4 1-2d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £77 1-2; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £103 1-2; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £113 7-8.

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel, Com.	9½	10
Algoma Steel, Pfd.	92	93
Assoc. Breweries, Com. A	15	11
Assoc. Breweries, Pfd.	100½	
Bathurst Paper	13½	
Building Products	13	15½
Canada Northern Power		6
Canada Steamships	4	4½
Canada Steamships, Pfd.	15	
Canadian Alcohol "A"	3½	
Can. Car & Foundry	8	8½
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	2?	33
Canadian Celanese, Com.	28	28½
Canadian Celanese, Pfd.	122	
Canadian Converters	17½	18
C. P. R., Com.	5½	5½
Cockshutt Plow	6½	
Consolidated Smelters	35	36½
Crown Cork	30	
Distillers-Seagrams, Com.	20	26½
Dominion Bridge	26½	34
Dominion Coal, Pfd.	20	21
Dominion Steel & Coal B	9½	9½
Dominion Tar	4½	5½
Dominion Tar, Pfd.		89
Dominion Textiles	81½	
Gatineau Power, Pfd.		85
General Steelwares, Com.	6	6½
Hamilton Bridge	4½	5
Hollinger	12	13½
Howard Smith	11	
Howard Smith, Pfd.	100	102
Hudson Bay M. & S.	26	27
International Nickel	34½	34
International Petroleum	14	
Lake of the Woods	18	16
Massey-Harris	3	3
Montreal Cottons, Pfd.	115	
Montreal Power	28½	28½
National Breweries	29	
National Steel Car	37	38
Noranda	57	58
Ogilvies	20½	21
Ottawa Power	10	11
Penmans	60½	
Power Corpn.	5	6
Price Bros.	12½	
Price Bros., Pfd.	68	
Rolland Paper		12
St. Lawrence Corpn., Pfd.	16	17
St. Lawrence Paper, Pfd.	10½	
Sherwin-Williams	13	1?
Steel of Canada		69
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	71	74
United Steel	3½	4
Canadian Investment Fund		3.00
Curb		
Abitibi	7½	80
Abitibi, Pfd.	6½	7
Asbestos	15	15
Bathurst B	2	
Brewers & Distillers	5	
Canada & Dominion Sugar	26	27
Canada Malting	37½	38
Canada Vinegars	7½	
Canadian Breweries	.90	1.10
Canadian Breweries, Pfd.	20½	25
Canadian Vickers	7	2?
Commercial Alcohols	1.00	1.15
Consolidated Paper	3½	4
Cub Aircraft	.85	.91
Donnaconna "A"	2½	5½
Fairchild	2½	
Fleet Aircraft	5½	5½
Ford "A"		
Fraser Company	7½	8
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	20	25
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	85	100
Page Hersey		150
Royalite Oil	20	21
Hiram Walker	45½	46
Hiram Walker, Pfd.	20	20½
Banks		
Bank of Commerce		165½
Bank of Montreal	[illegible]	[illegible]
Banque Canadienne Nationale	145	[illegible]

AMPLE PROOF

Ma—I can't tell whether Ezra is dead or only sleeping.

Pa—Well, make the alarm clock go off and if he wakes up it'll prove he's dead. He never would wake up when he was alive.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium; equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.01 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open open market 12¾ per cent discount or 86.12½ United States cents.

Finland—2.05.
Greece—66.
Hungary—16.77.
Italy—5.00.
Portugal—4.05.
Sweden—23.85.
Switzerland—23.21.
Yugoslavia—2.25.
Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.62.
Brazil—Official 6.05, free 5.05.
Mexico—20.75.
Japan—23.46.
Hongkong—23.67.
Shanghai—5.00.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—Quotations in dollars: Official (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying 4.02, selling 4.04; open market, cables 4.03½.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(R. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¼
July	78½	78¾	78½	78¾	78¾
Barley—					
May	45½	45½	45	45	45
July	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	43½
Oats—					
May	34½	34	34	34½	34½
July	32	32	32	32¾	32½
Rye—					
May	50½	50½	50¼	50	50
July	50½	50¾	50¾	50	50¾
Flax—					
May	147¾	147	150	147	148
July	148½	147½	148	147½	149

CASH GRAIN

	Close
Wheat—	
No. 1 Northern	73½
No. 2 Northern	71½
No. 3 Northern	69½
Track	74½
Oats—	
No. 2 C.W.	30½
Track	32½
Barley—	
No. 1 & O.W.	42
Track	43
Flax—	
No. 1 C.W.	149½
Track	145
Rye—	
No. 2 C.W.	47½
Track	47

CHICAGO GRAIN
(R. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	88½	88¾	88½	87½	87½
July	82½	82¾	82	82¾	82½
Sept.	82¾	82	82½	82¾	82¾
Corn—					
May	63	63¼	63¾	62¾	62¾
July	62¾	63	63	62½	63½
Sept.	63	63¼	62¾	62	62¾
Oats—					
May	37¾	37½	37¾	37½	37½
July	33	33	33½	32¾	33
Rye—					
May	49	49½	49¾	48¾	48¾
July	50½	50	50½	49¾	50½

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5%, 1953	69.50	70.50
B. C. Pulp 5%, 1950	99.75	99.75
Brown Co. 6½%, 1946	40.00	41.00
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	106.50	
Canada Cement 4½%, 1951	104.00	106.00
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	96.75	98.75
C. P. R. 3%, 1945	93.25	94.25
C. P. R. 3½%, 1951	88.00	90.00
Dominion Tar 4½%, 1951	100.50	103.50
Famous Players 4½%, 1951	100.00	102.50
Gatineau Power 5%, 1940	101.50	103.75
Maple Leaf 3%, 1950	73.75	78.00
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954	93.50	95.50
McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949	100.50	102.50
Shawinigan 4½%, 1951	101.00	
Simpson's Ltd. 4½%, 1951	100.00	102.50
United Grain 5%, 1948	98.50	99.50

DIVIDEND DECLARED

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP).—Coast Breweries, Ltd., have declared a quarterly dividend of three cents per share payable February 1, 1941, to shareholders of record January 15, 1941.

Small Gains Shown In Active Trading on Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP).—Several small gains were registered during continued active trading on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Golds and oils were both on the upside as transfers totaled 85,355 shares.

Premier Border attracted buyers' attention and traded 87,500 shares, but was unchanged at 3. Pioneer at 2.12, Gold Belt at 32, Sheep Creek at 86 and Silbak Premier at 75 each gained 2 from Monday's closing bids. Privateer was up 1 1-2 at 63 and Hedley Mascot firmed a cent at 59. Big Missouri added a fraction at 5 while Bralorne dropped 5 to 10.10.

Among the oil issues Home climbed 8 to 2.36 and Calgary & Edmonton rose 3 to 1.35. Federated Petroleum at 35 was up 1 from Monday's bid and Royal Canadian closed fractionally higher at 11 1-2. Anglo-Canadian was off 2 at 65 while Okalta at 70 and Extension at 16 remained unchanged.

Base metals were inactive.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS
(Mara, Bath & Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Oils		
Amalgamated		.09
Anaconda	.04½	
Anglo-Canadian		.70
A. P. Consolidated	.06	
British Dominion	.56	
C. & E. Corporation	1.30	1.35
Calmont	.23	
Commonwealth	.20½	
Comoil	.02	
Dalhousie Oil	.20	
Davies Petroleum	.14	
Extension	.16	
Foothills	.65	
Firestone Petroleum		.09
Home Oil	2.35	2.30
Madison	.01	
Mar Jon	.01½	.02½
Mercury		.06
McDougall Segur	.06	
Mill City	.04	
Model Oil	.15	
Monarch		.05
Okalta	.70	
Pacalta		.05½
Pacific Petroleum	.25	.21
Prairie Royalties	.07½	
Royal Canadian	.11	
Royalite	.20	
United Oil	.04½	
Vanalta		.04
Mines		
Big Missouri	.04½	.05½
Bralorne	10.10	10.15
Cariboo Gold	2.30	2.20
Golconda	.02½	.05
Gold Belt	.32	
Grandview	.12½	.14
Grull Wihksne		.03
Hedley Mascot	.57	.59
Kootenay Belle	.33	.28
Nicola	.00½	
Pend Oreille	1.80	1.90
Pioneer Gold	2.10	
Premier Border	.02	.03½
Premier Gold	.81	.82
Privateer	.61	
Quatsino Copper	.01½	.07
Reeves McDonald	.15	.20
Relief Arlington	.02½	.01
Reno Gold		.12½
Salmon Gold		.00
Sheep Creek	.03	.04
Silbak Premier	.84	.86
Taylor Bridge	.70	.75
Whitewater	.02	
Ymir Yankee Girl	.03	.03½
	.06½	.07½
Miscellaneous		
Coast Breweries	1.35	1.00
Capital Estates	1.05	1.35
United Distillers	.70	
Westminster Paper	.12	

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1941	0 %	102.75	103.75
"	1942	5 %	100.125	109.125
"	1943	4½%	100.25	109.25
"	1945	4 %	108.25	109.25
"	1946	4½%	109.25	110.25
"	1949	3½%	102.75	103.75
"	1947	4 %	105.50	106.50
"	1960	4½%	108.875	109.875
"	1958	4½%	100.625	110.375
"	1953	3 %	98.25	99.25
"	1966	3½%	100.00	101.00
"	Perp.	3 %	89.25	90.25
"	1940	3½%	102.25	103.25
"	1951	2½%	100.675	101.675
"	1958	0 %	87.625	88.625
"	1953	0½%	101.125	102.125
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can. Nat. Rly.	1951	4½%	114.50	116.25
"	1957	4½%	113.00	116.75
"	1955	4½%	116.50	115.25
" July,	1960	0 %	114.00	115.75
" Oct.,	1969	5 %	118.20	120.25
"	1954	5 %	110.00	118.25
"	1953	0 %	97.50	98.25
"	1944	5 %	103.50	104.50
"	1950	0 %	99.30	100.25
Grand Trunk	1962	0 %	97.75	99.50
"	1962	4 %	107.25	108.25
Can. Nor. Rly.	1950	3½%	96.30	98.25

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP). — Official Foreign Exchange Control Board rates unchanged at: United States dollars, buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium. Equivalent discounts on Canadian dollars in New York, buying 0.01 per cent, selling 0.09 per cent.

Sterling, in Canadian funds, buying $4.43, selling $4.47.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON, Jan. 7 (AP).—Bar silver 23 3-8, unchanged (equivalent 42.40 cents).

Metal Markets

LONDON, Jan. 7 (AP).—Tin steady; spot £256 15s bid, £257 asked; future £258 15s bid, £260 asked.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—Copper steady; electrolytic spot Conn. Valley 12.00; export, f.a.s. New York 10.25 to 12.00. Tin steady; spot and nearby 50.10, forward 50.05. Lead steady; spot, New York 5.50 to 5.55; East St. Louis 5.35. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 7.25.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP).—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin 50.37 1-2, lead 5.50; zinc 5.65; antimony 15.25; per 100 pounds f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1953	61.00	63.50
Alberta 3%, 1955	46.75	48.75
British Columbia 4%, 1957	99.20	100.25
British Columbia 4½%, 1953	101.00	103.50
British Columbia 5%, 1953	104.50	
Manitoba 4%, 1960	93.50	95.50
Manitoba 5%, 1956		100.50
New Brunswick 4½%, 1961	99.50	102.50
Nova Scotia 4½%, 1953	106.00	108.50
Ontario 4½%, 1956	109.25	111.25
Quebec 4½%, 1959	100.50	103.50
Saskatchewan 5½%, 1955	60.00	63.00
Saskatchewan 6%, 1959	61.50	64.50

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 5%, 1959	40.00	42.00
Bolivia 7%, 1960	3.30	4.25
Chile 6%, 1961	9.75	11.00
Colombia 6%, 1961	20.25	21.25
Germany 5½%, 1965	8.00	10.00
Italy 7%, 1951	44.25	46.25
Japan 6½%, 1954	60.25	67.75
Peru 6%, 1961	7.50	8.50
Sydney 5½%, 1955	60.75	
United Kingdom 4%, 1990	34.75	36.25

Above prices in New York

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	154½	155½
B. A. Oil	17½	17½
B. C. Power A	25	26
Burlington Steel	4½	11
Can. Car & Fdry. pfd.		25
Can. Pac. Rly.	5½	5½
Cosmos Imp. Mills		24½
Con. Mining & Smelting	36	38½
Cons. Paper	3½	4½
Dominion Bridge	26	26
Dom. Steel & Coal B	9	9½
Ford of Canada "A"	14½	15½
Gatineau Power 5% pfd.	85	90
Gatineau Power	8	10½
Goodyear Tire	75	
Imperial Oil	9½	9½
Imperial Tobacco	13½	14½
Intl. Metal Indust. 6% pfd.	100	105
Intl. Metal Indust. "A"		10
Intl. Nickel	34½	35½
Intl. Petroleum	14	15
Montreal L. H. & P.	25½	29½
Moore Corpn.	47	47½
Natl. Steel Car		38½
Shawinigan W. & P.	16½	17½
Steel of Canada	69	73
Hiram Walker G. & W.	45½	46
Bank of Montreal	161	
Royal Bank	165	168
Can. Bank of Commerce	160	164

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP). — Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds, 168s in British funds, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

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Former Ambassador Of U.S. to France Warns Countrymen

William C. Bullitt Says American People Prefer To Take Risk of Axis Powers' Victory Rather Than Go to War

CHAPEL HILL, N.C., Jan. 7 (AP).—William C. Bullitt, former United States Ambassador to France, declared tonight "We know that the axis powers Powers is for us to go to war in support of Great Britain, Greece and China" but that the American people "at this moment" prefer to take the risk of a totalitarian victory "rather than go to war."

To diminish that risk, Bullitt told the International Relations Club of the University of North Carolina, the United States must give those nations "what they need—not what we think we can comfortably spare" ships, merchant ships, war ships, planes, airplanes, guns, munitions, steel, foodstuffs that we give will be used in defense of our own security.

In his first speech since he resigned from Government service, Bullitt declared:

"We fear war and because of that hatred the question of entering this war as a national policy does not even arise.

"THE SUREST WAY"

"We know that the surest way to defeat the Axis powers is for us to go to war in support of Great Britain, Greece and China, but we hate war so much that we prefer to take a chance on the ability of the British, the Greeks and the Chinese to defeat the dictator powers without direct military assistance from us.

"We know what the consequences of totalitarian victory would be for us, and we are taking this risk with our eyes open.

"Unquestionably, the people of the United States at this moment prefer to take this risk rather than go to war."

Bullitt, who more than two months ago advocated that arms production be put on a "wartime basis," said that aiding Britain, Greece and China involved slight danger of war

GREAT ADVANTAGE

"It is so greatly to the advantage of the totalitarian states to have us stay out of war while they are attempting to conquer Great Britain, Greece and China," he said, "that they will almost certainly not make war on us so long as Great Britain stands—no matter how much aid we may aid we furnish and no matter what form that aid may take.

"The dictators will fume and fulminate but they will not risk declaring war on us unless they first have conquered Great Britain," he said.

Declaring that we must buy time in which to prepare," Bullitt described the method of production during the last six months as "the comfortable and lazy one of superimposing production for defence on the normal business of the country."

"That was the method employed by France and Great Britain before they were drawn into war," he asserted.

MUST WORK AS UNIT

He said the problem of increased production could not be solved by any administrative organization or any small group of men, but "only by the whole American people working together as a unit."

MANY AMBULANCES GOING TO GT. BRITAIN

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal.—Jan. 7 (AP).—Four hundred and eighty-five ambulances have been delivered and are being prepared for delivery to Britain, Southern California headquarters of the British American Ambulance Corps reported today.

Contributions to the ambulance fund from forty-eight states now total $862,000.74, the report said.

BRITISH PILOTS ARE HEROES IN AMERICA

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP).—Pilots of the Royal Air Force have become heroes in America, according to Senator A. D. McRae, of Vancouver, just returned from a tour of the United States.

"Everyone talks about the British pilots, the wonderful job they are doing," Senator McRae said. "Almost everywhere you met people seriously concerned about our winning the war and is ready to help in any way possible."

HOCKEY SCORES

By The Canadian Press

O.H.A. Senior—Niagara Falls 8, Port Colborne 3.

O.H.A. Junior "A"—Young Rangers 2, Toronto Marlboros 8; Oshawa Generals 8, Riverdales 3.

Thunder Bay Senior—Geraldton 6, Port William 3.

Manitoba Senior—Regina 4, Winnipeg 4 (overtime tie); Saskatoon 2, Brandon 3.

Manitoba Junior — Winnipeg Bisons 4, Winnipeg Falcons 1.

BADEN-POWEL DIES IN AFRICA

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scouts" and "transfer moral aim at similar objectives.

The growth of the movement from a small beginning in 1908 has been one of the outstanding social developments of the world.

It concentrated such international attention on its founder that it overshadowed the brilliant military career that reached its climax in the defence of Mafeking in the early stages of the Boer War in 1899-1900.

Yet had neither feats of arms nor social service fallen to his lot, he might have attained fame in the field of fine arts. He was an amateur dextrous sketch artist, drawing equally well with either hand, enough of a sculptor to achieve exhibition of his work in the Royal Academy in 1907, author of two dozen volumes and an adept stage manager and actor, exciting especially as a comedian.

HAD FIRST TENT

The Boy Scout idea had its first test when General Baden-Powell was called on during manoeuvres on a camping trip in the Dorset woods. Instead of the usual round of outdoor recreation — swimming, climbing and hiking—he invented them various games in which they took the part of Knights of the Round Table or American Indians, thus catering to their natural love of adventure.

The survival, who was a naturalist as well as a soldier, also initiated the boys into the art of the chase of wood lore. They learned to distinguish wolf from fox and dingle, to make a footprint on a trail, to imitate the calls of birds and animals, to build emergency shelter from a storm, start a fire without matches, make a palatable "hunter's view" and, most important of all in the question of their courtesy, bear hardship and fatigue cheerfully.

Each new lesson aroused fresh enthusiasm in the boys and the delight with which they studied convinced their teacher that the idea merited expansion. So a few weeks later the first Boy Scout scheme was given to the world.

Within six months more than 60,000 boys had been enrolled in Great Britain. The movement spread quickly, first to the United States, Canada, South and North Africa and the English colonies in the Orient. When the World War broke, neutral countries. The 1930 "World Scout Jamboree" had 70,000 girls Scouts rather in England from seventy-one lands.

IDEAL OF SERVICE

From a purely recreational beginning, the movement has grown into an ideal of service. Particularly in times of disaster the Scouts have rendered valuable aid to the Red Cross, while untold billions of years of helpfulness have resulted from the rule of "one good deed a day."

General Baden-Powell was a British hero years before he started this Boy Scout idea because of his picturesque defence of Mafeking at the outbreak of the Boer War. His style of fame affected by Scouts the world over is a memento of that fame, for it was the campaign headgear of General Baden-Powell.

Robert Stephenson Smyth Baden-Powell was born in London, February 22, 1857. His father was Rev. Baden-Powell, Savilian Professor of Geometry in Oxford University, his mother—born Henrietta Grace Smyth, was a daughter of Admiral W. H. Smyth, who claimed descent from Pocahontas, daughter of Powhatan, famous Indian chief. The future general was their sixth son.

He was ready for Oxford in 1876 when, "just for fun," he took the Sandhurst examination, scored second place in a list of 700 applicants and was given a commission in the 13th Hussars. Thereafter he saw service in India, Afghanistan and South Africa, winning in the last three several campaigns before he reached his peak at Mafeking.

He retired from the army in 1910 and two years later, at the age of fifty-five, married Miss Olave St. Clair Soames; A son and two daughters were born to them.

General Baden-Powell was knighted by King Edward, October 2, 1909, created a baronet in the New Year's list of 1927 and raised to the peerage in August, 1929, when he became first Baron Baden-Powell of Gilwell.

MILITARY RECORD

The greater part of General Baden-Powell's military service memoirs were recorded in South Africa. In 1887 he was assistant military secretary there and in 1888 was mentioned in dispatches for bravery in the Zululand fighting. In the Matebele Campaign of 1896 he was chief staff officer.

The outbreak of the Boer War, in October, 1899, found him in command at Mafeking, a little town of corrugated iron buildings in the heart of Bechuanaland on the long railway line from Kimberley to Rhodesia. It was from this station that four years and five days, spectacular "Jameson Raid" had been launched.

Baden-Powell's force consisted of "irregulars," a detachment of a South African regiment, some police and the town guard, less than 1,000 men in all. The artillery they had a couple of seven-pounders. The town was besieged by the Boers immediately after the declaration of war and for seven months the garrison withstood a constant round of shelling and attack that created world attention upon the little settlement in the wild.

The enemy cut the water supply, but tunneled deep wells; they brought up heavy guns, but Colonel Baden-Powell invented an ingenious system of warning when the big shells were coming over. Relying on method of replying to the bombardment, the commander led his men in a daughter sorties to keep up the town's spirit, he organized a regular system of recreation.

MAFEKING GARRISON

Finally, in May, 1900, Colonel Plumer, later a field marshal of the Great War, reached Mafeking with two columns and Rhodesians and drove away the besiegers. Mafeking was of little strategic importance but the long resistance of its garrison kept 2,000 Boers from other operations and has been credited with upsetting Boer plans for an invasion of Rhodesia.

Baden-Powell's military genius in this episode won him promotion to the rank of major-general. He remained in South Africa after the war and organized the South African Constabulary. Then for four years, 1903-7, he was inspector-general of cavalry in Great Britain. In 1908 he was made a lieutenant-general and left South Africa soon from the army.

When the Great War broke out General Baden-Powell asked to be sent to the front. The War Office, however, decided that his place as head of the Boy Scouts was of greater importance and the boys of the United Kingdom were mobilized, rendering valuable service to the Government throughout the conflict.

Baron Baden-Powell travelled widely in recent years, visiting all parts of the British Empire and many foreign countries in the interests of the Scout movement. One of his favorite trips was to Kenya, thence back through the West Indies to the United States and Canada. He made this circuit in 1912 and again in 1935.

TOURED IN STATES

The 1912 trip was expanded into an extensive tour of the United States, in which he appeared in the chief cities from Boston to Seattle. When he reached Seattle, on this tour he was greeted by a hoot-owl of peculiar quality which had been organized to break the ice. Turn on the gramme than Smyth was listening intently, he was treated to a frequent criticism on the movement in his absence, but it soon was much of that opposition.

Two years ago he was an ardent spectator at Canadian Boy Scout rallies, displaying an ideal cavalry force of medium height and spare, sinewy build, he was a master of horsemanship, subduing the most practicous steeds once after he mounted the saddle.

Always adventurous, he was one of the first British officers to fly, going up with Wilbur Wright when the latter was demonstrating the airplane at Le Mans, France, October 1, 1908.

He was a cricket player, rechinaman and big game hunter and won laurels as pig sticking about, and he wrote a treatise that was considered as authoritative on this British sport as was Izaak Walton's "Compleat Angler" on the art of fishing.

All told he wrote about two dozen books. They dealt with his experiences in his campaigns in India, Afghanistan and South Africa, with fencing and sport and military training. His manual of cavalry field regulations was standard in the British army for years.

Lord and Lady Baden-Powell visited Victoria in April, 1935, and attended a memorial Scout and Guide rally held at the Stadium.

BRITISH CAPTURE AIRPORT IN LIBYA

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tions and motor transport which they had begun at the start of their disastrous invasion of Egypt.

In the latest Royal Air Force foray to be reported, Tobruk was bombed, exploding fuel tanks on the waterfront and on other military objectives, and still farther to the west, the coastal town of Derna was raided.

All this was on Monday night.

A supplemental announcement tonight said a British force made heavy raid overnight (January 6-7) on Tripoli, in which the R.A.F. dropped several tons of bombs among motor vessels in the middle of the harbor.

ATTACK ON TRIPOLI

The communique said:

"Tripoli was attacked heavily by bomber aircraft of the Royal Air Force on the night of January 6-7. Several tons of bombs were dropped among motor vessels in the centre of the harbor. There were large explosions and clouds of smoke.

"Early reports show no registered antiship on a large motor vessel, and at least one other damaged. Several cargo ships were probably hit.

"Fires were caused amongst customs buildings and wharves. The railway station was bombarded and much damage caused. All our aircraft returned safely.

"A further raid was carried out on Tobruk by our heavy bombers. Widespread fires were caused. Fires were visible from thirty miles away, among the buildings, sheds and motor transport concentrations. Our aircraft returned without loss to their bases."

GREEK VESSELS SHELL VALONA

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of a 5,000-foot peak north of the town and close to the rear of the Fascist positions.

Day-to-day reports continued to show increasing—almost daily increase—in Greek announcements of Italian losses, both men and the booty in war material mounting in Greek hands.

A Greek spokesman said five officers were among 223 captives taken in Albania.

"The Greeks were reported to have upon many occasions Italian soldiers left behind in precipitate flight without their comrades.

Greeks who captured one mountain said 41 Italians opposing them were killed, wounded or captured.

GREEK COMMUNIQUES

The Greek Command issued the following communique Tuesday night:

"Our forces were reduced patrol activities. A number of prisoners were taken.

A communique of the Ministry of Home Security

"An enemy aircraft formation bombed Koritsa (Albania). There are more than a hundred casualties among the civilian population. Forty houses collapsed and a cathedral was damaged.

"An enemy seaplane machine-gunned Greek fishing boat near an island in the Aegean Sea. One fisherman was killed.

According to supplementary reports from competent police authorities one more Greek was killed in the bombardment of Korytsa (in Greece, opposite the Albanian border), by the Italians.

LONDON HAS DAY ATTACK

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soldiers were injured when a gas main was hit.

The raiders attacking the Midlands Wednesday dropped a bomb on a house in a suburb and killed or wounded several persons, it was reported.

STREETS MACHINE-GUNNED

The enemy aircraft used machine guns in many attacks. One report said on East Anglian town was machine-gunned for four times, with pedestrians and school children scattering for shelter in the residential area.

At several points, machine-gun fire slight individual the British fighters were attacking the German raiders.

A German bomber reported to have been a Dornier dived four times at a Spitfire, machine-gun fire, observers of watchers on the Southeast Coast said. The Spitfire, equipped with machine-gunned the wessels, then released two bombs near one ship returned and regrouped the machine-gunning.

NAZI PLES TO SEA

It was held off by the trawler's machine guns, however, and fell in the sea" at the appearance of a spitfire.

Despite the London alarm, Prime Minister Churchill and First Lord of the Admiralty A. V. Alexander visited Trinity House, damaged in the "fire raid" of December 29, and "expressed admiration to the Trinity House Hill district.

City and District

Ward Three Liberals — Ward Three Liberal Association will hold its regular meeting in headquarters tomorrow at 8 p.m.

Door Damaged—An attempt was made to enter the City Brokerage Company at 1018 Blanshard Street, by forcing a rear door early yesterday morning.

Auditors Appointed—Imlay, Bowlan and Hodges were reappointed auditors of school books and accounts for 1941 at a meeting of the Esquimalt Council Monday night.

Smoking Concert—The annual reunion smoking concert of the Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, will be held tomorrow evening in the clubrooms, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Attempted Entry—An attempt was made on the premises of George Hunt at 613 Herald Street by leaving a sheet of galvanized iron from a wall on the west side early yesterday morning.

Minister Returning—Delayed in Vancouver by the Christmas rush the early part of the week, Acting Premier A. W. Gray will return to the city today, as resident head of the Provincial Government here.

Annual Meeting—The city Civic Officials' Association will hold its annual supper meeting and election of officers in Panama Room, Hotel at 5.30 o'clock next Tuesday evening.

Sees Audience—Directors of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau will go to Ottawa to discuss plans for the year with the City Council in the near future, according to a report received at the City Hall.

Court at Revision—Reeve Alex Lockley and members of the Esquimalt Council will act as a court of revision on the assessment roll on February 5, at 8 p.m., it was decided at meeting of the council Monday night.

Is Remanded—Trial of a motorist on a charge of dangerous driving in his car here on Johnson Street and Douglas Street, was given yesterday morning and will be resumed tomorrow, it was learned. Sgt. Constable Brock Douglass yesterday.

World Close Alley—The Cameron Investment & Securities Company in a letter to the Mayor and Council stated that an alley on the south side of Fort Street, between the Broad and Government Street, is declared a street dedicated thoroughfare.

Rehearsal Postponed — Victoria Choral and Orchestral Union rehearsal, scheduled for Friday evening, January 10, has been postponed for a short time. Further announcement will be made in due course.

Christmas Seals—The Kiwanis committee in charge of Christmas Seals, announced that on Thursday evening they will open the return of Christmas Seals. Persons who have not as yet sent in their envelopes are asked to do so immediately.

Thank Officials—In a letter to the City Council, the school board tendered thanks to the city engineer and City Hall officials for their civic solicitor and wiring inspector for their assistance during the past year.

Eight Fined—Six motorists were each fined $2.00 and costs in police court yesterday for parking over the hour limit. Another paid a $2.50 fine and costs and another paid a $5 was imposed in the case of a motorist who admitted having no drivers' licence.

Garage Crusher—The new city garage crusher, used for crushing debris from floating on to beaches, may be in operation some time this month, Mayor Andrew Cameron said in securing chains from machine manufacturers under pressure of war contracts.

New Mains—The laying of new eight and ten-inch water mains to serve the Cameron Lumber Co. Ltd., will be completed this week under direction of the City Engineer. Increased water pressure throughout the place will give the plant additional fire protection.

Premises Entered—Jack Black reported to police that his quarters at the Leland Apartments had been entered by means of a pass key. Detective P. W. Robertson found that $17 in cash and a $10 set of men's waistcoats and a men's watch valued at $42.50 were missing.

Chimney Fire—A chimney fire at 2176 Lansdowne Street was put out by the Oak Bay fire department at 8.30 o'clock last night. The Saanich department attended a chimney fire at 2265 Maplewood Avenue last night. No damage was reported in either case.

Request Declined—The Esquimalt Council was unable to comply with request from the Victoria Professional Club seeking assistance in the erection of a temporary structure on the club deal with at a meeting held Monday night. The club will be informed that the municipality has no spare equipment of this kind.

Conservative Meeting—Ward Four Victoria Conservative Association will hold its annual meeting in Room 10 of the Pantages Building, City View Street, tomorrow at 8 p.m. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. All Conservatives of Ward Four are cordially invited to attend.

New Dwellings—S. C. Gurney secured a $2,800 city building permit yesterday for erection of a five-room dwelling at 1276 Basil Avenue. Parks & Trevorrow are the contractors. R. Groushing was granted a $4,000 permit to construct a ten-room duplex dwelling at 1276 Yates Street by L. M. Hodek.

Bridge Permit—F. J. Edmonds took out a $4,000 city building permit yesterday to construct a two-story flyroom frame at 1524 Begbie Place for Mrs. Biggar. It will be of hollow tile and stucco construction, tile roof and floors and an attached garage. Johnson and Stockdill are the contractors.

Fire Rattles East End—Fire Chief Dowler, accompanied by J. R. Mutrie, deputy minister of agriculture, will leave for the East this evening by train from Vancouver, as part of the British Columbia delegation to the national conference at Ottawa. Mr. Mutrie crossed to the mainland last evening, and Dr. MacDonald will leave by the afternoon boat today.

City Temperatures—Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological observatory on Gonzales Hill were 46 and 36 degrees, respectively from the minimum temperature recorded on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel was 46 degrees and the minimum 40 degrees. The precipitation in the latter location was .38 inch.

Acting Officials — Appointments for the year made at the inaugural meeting of the City Council were: Jerry A. Harrison, acting superintendent and treasurer; Ralph Davis, acting city engineer and water commissioner; Arthur V. Danby, acting assessor and collector; Mrs. Florence E. Mutrie, acting city clerk; Jack Beer, and W. Percy Wright, acting city solicitors.

To Welcome Visitor—Hon. W. J. Asselstine, as acting Minister of Labor, will go to Nanaimo tomorrow in the week to welcome Sir Walter Citrine, president of the British Trades Union Congress, who will be present at a meeting at Exhibition Gardens, Nanaimo, on Monday evening. Sir Walter will not be able to visit Victoria on this occasion, it was announced.

Sell Tickets—Continuing their campaign for the sale of tickets for the audience during an international at the Plaza Theatre, the Rotary Club members have given a guarantee an additional $47.50 in aid of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, give the holder an opportunity of winning the Rotary diamond broach while assisting the bonched civilians of England.

Gains Commission—E. W. "Red" Gerhardt, member of the City Council W. Blenkinsop, Victoria, has been appointed to act as a court of the Royal Canadian Air Force, according to word received here. He organized his wired and Publicity Bureau.

To date this month 136 visitors have registered at the office of the bureau, compared with sixty-five during the corresponding period last year.

Offers Accepted—The Esquimalt Council Monday night accepted an offer of $1,000 for a lot on Grant Street, submitted by the B.C. Land and Investment Agency, acting for Mrs. Mabel Ellen Wallace, Victoria. K. H. Pindler for a lot on Lampson Street. Dealing with an enquiry from the Department of National Defence, asking for a nominal value of half-a-lot on Peck Street, the council decided to offer the whole lot at the assessed value of $1,000.

Drop in Egg Prices—William Hasner, Dominion egg inspector, announced last night that, effective today, the price on all grade "A" eggs will be one cent per dozen. The new prices are as follows: To producer, grade "A" large, 18 cents; grade "A" medium, 17 cents; grade "A" pullet, 13 cents; wholesale to city grocers, grade "A" large, 23 cents; grade "A" medium, 21 cents, and grade "A" pullet, 18 cents.

Industry Helpful—Hon. W. J. Asselstine returned from the Mainland yesterday, after meeting the Chamber of Mines and the British Columbia Mining Association, of Vancouver, in connection with Provincial representations to be made in Ottawa. Dr. J. F. Walker, deputy minister of mines, who attended the meeting with Mr. Asselstine, will leave this evening for Ottawa to join the British Columbia delegation at Royal Bank. Many helpful suggestions were made at the Mainland meeting, Mr. Asselstine said.

Condition Improving — Reports from the Jubilee Hospital last night stated the condition of three persons injured in traffic accidents in the city during the week-end, was improving. Miss Alice Dunn, who was struck by an automobile last Friday night at Quadra and Fort Streets, was said to be much better. Earlier reports stated her condition was poor, but hospital attendants last night said considerable improvement had been shown during the past few days. Hooker Ralph Fraser, H.M.C.S. Naden, was reported to be still improved, though still in a semi-conscious state. Mrs. Philip McLean, 340 Vancouver Street, injured in the same accident as Miss Dunn, is progressing favorably, hospital authorities stated.

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 7 (CP)—Free French headquarters here today announced plans to form a fully-equipped military force of 3,000 Free Frenchmen in New Caledonia and Tahiti to carry on the war against Germany and Italy.

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In the Realm of Women

Esquimalt Red Cross Is Active

A total of 4,881 pieces of work completed in the period between November, 1939, and December 20, 1940, was shown in the report submitted by Mrs. Hopwood at the annual meeting of the Esquimalt Unit of the Canadian Red Cross Society, held yesterday afternoon at the home of the secretary pro-tem, Mrs. Bessonnette, 649 Admirals Road. In addition, there had been turned over to Red Cross headquarters the sum of $1,057.41, it was shown.

The report submitted by Mrs. Bessonnette recalled the highlights in the history of the unit, which was organized in September, 1939 at a meeting held at the home of Brigadier J. C. Stewart, Work Point Barracks. Seven meetings had been held in the year, and Rev. James Hood and the board of the United Church were thanked for having given the use of the church school room for these sessions.

Among others specially thanked were Mrs. Fitzherbert Bullen and Mrs. Hopwood, for distributing materials, receiving work and undertaking the responsibility of delivering parcels to and from headquarters in Victoria; the many friends who had made individual cash contributions, and the Victoria Boys Band, which had played for the garden party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pooley.

TOTAL RECEIPTS

Of the total receipts of $1,657.41 paid over to headquarters, the chief items were the receipts from the "Arf a' Mo'" concert, from the white elephant stall at the Red Cross garden party at Government House, and from the garden party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pooley.

Mrs. J. Quinn's assistance in collecting and distributing books, magazines, cards, and games to the members of the services was also gratefully acknowledged in the secretary's report.

The resignation of the secretary, Mrs. A. F. Parkes, was received with regret.

The chair announced that the next meeting would be 2:45 p.m. on January 27 at the United Church schoolroom, when election of officers will take place.

JUST THAT WELL

"Do you know her to speak to?"
"No, only to talk about."

Witty Kitty

Dieting Dot says now that the holidays are over she'll go back to having no food with her meals.

Skiing on Forbidden Plateau

—Canadian Pacific Photo.

While snowdrops and crocuses make an early Spring showing in Victoria, Winter sports on the Forbidden Plateau attract many enthusiasts. Here is Miss Terese Todd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Todd, St. Charles Street, skiing at the favorite holiday spot near Courtenay, V.I.

Clubs and Societies

Orphans' Home Meeting

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the ladies committee of the British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home on Monday: President, Mrs. D. C. Hughes; first vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Dinsmore; second vice-president, Miss H. Newbury; recording secretary, Mrs. J. King; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. T. Elliott; treasurer, Mrs. F. C. Dillabough; flower convener, Mrs. J. G. Simpson. Mrs. J. L. Grimison's resignation was accepted with regret. Annual reports were read and a successful year recorded. The children had had a delightful Christmas season, and the committee expressed its thanks to all the kind friends who have helped to make the lives of the children happier. Among those who entertained them during the holidays were His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hamber, Mr. C. Moore, the Oaklands Sunday School and Mr. and Mrs. Pope. Mrs. E. M. Brown and Mrs. F. V. Longstaff were appointed visiting ladies for the month.

Housewives' League

The Victoria District Housewives' League spent a very pleasant afternoon recently, being conducted by Mr. Trimble over the very modern plant of the Northwestern Creamery. After seeing the mechanical workings of the business, Mr. Trimble gave an interesting lecture on the various processes which are done to retain the purity of the milk until it reaches the table. He answered many questions regarding dairy products and the whys and wherefores of things done. After the lecture, the members became the guests of the dairy, and had the opportunity of sampling the class of goods offered to the public. Mr. Trimble was accorded a hearty vote of thanks by the large number of members who turned out, and an educative and enjoyable afternoon was brought to a close.

Centennial W.M.S.

The Centennial Evening Auxiliary of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Miss V. Barnes, David Street, on Monday, with Mrs. J. Alton presiding. Miss E. Middleton conducted the devotional period, and Miss Mary Peatt read an article on Christian stewardship. Mrs. A. McCormick reviewed a chapter of the study book. The officers elected were: President, Mrs. J. Alton; vice-president, Miss M. Cargill; treasurer, Mrs. A. Corry; recording secretary, Miss V. Barnes; corresponding secretary, Miss E. Couch; Christian stewardship, Miss M. Peatt; supply secretary, Mrs. A. McCormick; temperance secretary, Miss M. McKim; community friendship, Mrs. C. Dash; press, Mrs. G. Lane; mite boxes, Mrs. J. Beveridge.

Daughters of St. George

Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238 held its business meeting recently. A quantity of wool was distributed to members to make into garments for the forces, also many finished articles were turned in. It was decided to form a concert party and Mrs. Fairhurst and Mrs. Pasco will have charge of the arrangements. A refreshment committee was formed including Mesdames Sladden, Mason and Osborne. The social convener, Mrs. Pasco, arranged for a social evening to be held after the next meeting on January 17 at 7:30 o'clock.

First United W.A.

The annual meeting of the Women's Association of First United Church was held Monday afternoon, with the retiring president, Mrs. J. B. Munro, in the chair. Reports were read from the groups showing that more than $1,500 had been raised during the year by the ladies of the church. The officers elected for the year, at the last meeting, were installed by the minister, Rev. H. A. McLeod. The meeting closed with the newly-elected president, Mrs. W. S. Dawson, in the chair.

Liberal Women's Forum

The regular meeting of the Liberal Women's Forum will be held at headquarters on Friday at 2:45 o'clock.

Red Shield W.A.

A meeting of the Red Shield Women's Auxiliary will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street. The weekly meetings of the Victoria Home League will recommence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Adjutant Charles Watt will give an address, and Mrs. M. Wilkinson, the league secretary, will preside. New members are invited to both of these meetings.

Local Council

Affiliated societies of the Local Council of Women are reminded that this month's regular meeting will be next Monday at the Y.W.C.A., and that all nomination papers must be in the office of the secretary, Mrs. H. M. Hall, 330 Pemberton Building, not later than tomorrow afternoon in order that these may be dealt with by the executive meeting on Friday this week.

Women's Bible Study

Mrs. Caroline Binnie will address the women's meeting for Bible study at the Ross Bay Sunday Schoolroom (corner May and Joseph Streets) tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. The series of topics entitled "Things to Come" will be continued. All women interested are invited.

Victorian Order

The annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses will take place on Friday, January 31, at 2:30 p.m. in the Y.W.C.A. rooms, when the guest speaker will be Dr. G. F. Amyot, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health.

Women Conservatives

The monthly business meeting of the Women's Conservative Association will not take place tomorrow evening, being postponed until a later date.

Air Services' W.A.

The W.A. to the Air Services' Group No. 3 will meet at the home of Mrs. Mylrea, 432 Government Street, tomorrow at 8 p.m.

St. John Ambulance W.A.

The regular meeting of the St. John Ambulance W.A. Unit No. 1 will be held today at 2 p.m. at the Isolation Hospital.

Women's Institutes

ESQUIMALT

The fortnightly five hundred card party will be held tomorrow night at 8:15 o'clock by the Esquimalt Institute in St. Paul's Parish Hall. There will be prizes and refreshments.

DIRECTORS ELECTED

WINNIPEG, Jan. 7 (CP)—F. W. Crawford, secretary of the Canadian Aberdeen Angus Association, today announced the election of the following association directors for 1941:

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WED. AND THURS. EGGS — Grade "A" Pullets doz. 20¢

COFFEE — Airway. A fine, refreshing blend; 1-lb. pkg. 34¢

PEAS — Sugar Belle, Sieve 5, 16-oz. can each 10¢
APRICOTS — Highway, new, 16-oz. can 2 for 25¢
BEANS — Gardenside, cut green, 16-oz. can 3 for 25¢
TOMATOES — Red Hill, No. 2½ can each 11¢
MEAT BALLS — Hedlund's 16-oz. can each 22¢
CORNED BEEF — El Rancho Brand, 12-oz. can each 16¢

TEA — Airway, a fine blend, 1-lb. package each 55¢
CHEESE — Burns', Goldenloaf, 1-lb. package each 25¢
BRAZILS — No. 1 Quality, IN SHELL 2 lbs. 19¢
JELL-O — Puddings and desserts, assorted flavors, pkg. 4 for 25¢
CHEESE — As cut, lb. lots ... lb. 19¢

OATMEAL — B & K 8-lb. sacks ... each 25¢
OATS — Quaker Brand, Non-Premium: pkgs. each 15¢
Shredded Wheat — Delicious served with fresh fruit: pkgs. each 10¢
RY-CRUNCH — Crispbread, pkgs. 2 for 25¢
LARD — Maple Leaf, 1-lb. pkgs. ... each 7¢
JAM — Empress, Pure Strawberry, 4-lb. cans each 45¢
SODAS — Red Arrow, Salted or Plain: pkgs. each 19¢
GRAHAMS — Red Arrow, Honey, 1-lb. pkgs. each 18¢
FIG BARS — Ormond's, pkgs. each 18¢

RED BRAND BEEF
STEAKS — T-BONE or WING RIB lb. 28¢; SIRLOIN lb. 32¢; ROUND STEAK lb. 29¢; NEW YORK OR TENDERLOIN STEAK lb. 45¢
ROASTS — RUMP, first cut, or ROLLED RIB lb. 22¢; T-BONE or WING RIB ROASTS lb. 27¢; ROLLED PRIME RIB OR SHELLBONE ROASTS lb. 29¢

PORK — GRAIN FED
TENDERLOINS, lb. 25¢
CHOPS, lb. 23¢ and 29¢
SHOULDERS, Picnic Style, lb. 14¢
BUTTS, Small, Lean, lb. 16¢
LOINS, lb. 22¢ and 25¢
LEGS, lb. 18¢ and 20¢

LAMB
LOIN CHOPS, lb. 43¢
RIB CHOPS, lb. 32¢
LEGS, Whole, lb. 30¢
Half, lb. 32¢
SHOULDERS, Whole, lb. 20¢
Half, lb. 22¢

BACON — ½-lb. Cello pkts., each 14¢
COTTAGE ROLLS, Tenderized, lb. 25¢
PICNIC SHOULDERS, Tenderized, lb. 16¢
SLICED BOLOGNA, lb. 14¢
SLICED HAM, lb. 49¢

Fruits and Vegetables
ORANGES — SUNKIST - SWEET AND JUICY — In the Easy-to-Carry Shopping Bags — Extra Large 2 doz. 55¢; Large 2 doz. 49¢; Family Size 3 doz. 59¢
APPLES — C Grade, in shopping bags 10 lbs. 37¢
POTATOES — No. 1 Local, in shopping bags 10 lbs. 23¢
CRANBERRIES — Cape Cod, Firm, Eastern, lb. 25¢
GRAPEFRUIT — TEXAS - THIN-SKINNED - JUICY — Large 6 for 25¢; Medium 7 for 25¢; Arizona 12 for 37¢
BANANAS — Firm Golden Ripe 2 lbs. 17¢
LEMONS — Large, Sunkist, Juicy, doz. 19¢
TURNIPS — Local, No. 1, Good Cookers 10 lbs. 25¢
CAULIFLOWER — Snow-White Heads each 10¢ and 15¢

HONEY — Beehive, 4-lb. cans each 55¢
SYRUP — Rogers', Golden, 5-lb. cans each 37¢
COCOA — Fry's, Breakfast, 1-lb. cans each 33¢
PANCAKE FLOUR — Aunt Jemima, pkgs. each 17¢
MACARONI — Ready Cut, 2-lb. Cello pkgs. each 12¢
OXO CUBES — Large can of 50 cubes each 21¢
SOAP — Fels Naptha, Laundry, large cakes 3 for 20¢
OXYDOL — Laundry Soap Powder, Giant pkgs. each 59¢
BRASSO — Medium size cans each 19¢
WAX PAPER — 100 ft. rolls, box each 15¢

FLOUR — Kitchen Craft, All-Purpose: 7-lb. sacks each 23¢; 24-lb. sacks ea. 72¢; 49-lb. sacks ea. $1.32
PASTRY FLOUR — Wild Rose, "Use the Best" 7-lb. sacks each 33¢
S.O.S. — Steel Wool Pot Cleaner, large pkg. each 19¢
MATCHES — 300 to the box 2 for 15¢
DOG FOOD — Dr. Ballard's 16-oz. cans 3 for 25¢
TISSUE — Canadian rolls each 3¢
DOG BISCUITS — National Mixed Ovals 2-lb. pkgs. each 23¢
CLEANSER — Classic, for cleaning porcelain; cans 2 for 9¢

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WINNIPEG, Jan. 7 (CP)—Marriages jumped to record heights in Winnipeg during 1940, city officials announced today. During the year, 4,658 marriages were performed compared with the previous record of 3,716 in 1939. Until 1939 Winnipeg's greatest year for marriages had been 1812 when 3,503 couples were married.

Boxing Day Bridal Group

—Photo by Robert Fort.

SERGEANT AND MRS. MALCOLM J. HARMSTON

Who Were Married on Boxing Day at the Church of Our Lord, photographed with their attendants, Miss Joyce Norris and E.R.A. Stanley Duddles, R.C.N. The bride was formerly Miss Virginia Mae Norris.

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Qualicum W.A. Elects Officers

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Women's Auxiliary of the Qualicum Branch, Canadian Legion, took place recently in the Community Clubroom. Mrs. F. Gillan, president, occupied the chair and gave a satisfactory review of the year's work. Mrs. V. Wilkinson, the secretary, read the annual report and financial statement, which was most satisfactory.

The officers were all unanimously re-elected en bloc for the ensuing year, as follows: President, Mrs. F. Gillan; first vice-president, Mrs. W. Thrall; second vice-president, Mrs. R. Stewart; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. V. Wilkinson; social convener, Mrs. H. Jarvis; executive committee, Miss S. Stewart, Mrs. M. Sawyer and Mrs. A. Playfair; poppy convener, Mrs. E. Sanders; sick visitors, Mrs. D. Waldie and Mrs. H. Dugan; auditor, Mrs. N. H. Gibson.

It was reported that a large number of magazines had been sent to the military camp at Nanaimo. Mrs. Morgan, of the Morgan Hotel, will be pleased to receive any suitable magazines or books and will see that they are delivered to the Nanaimo Camp.

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"Owls do their courting only when the weather is fine," says a nature note. When it's raining, of course, it's too-wet-to-woo.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Hostess at Dinner

Mrs. E W Hamber was hostess at Government House in honor of Mrs Herbert Wood, who is here from Vancouver.

Anniversary Party

In celebration of the first anniversary of their wedding Mr and Mrs. Arthur Farey, 837 Frances Avenue, entertained friends on Monday evening at a delightful party. Mrs. Farey wore her wedding gown of white satin and a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds, while her attendants, Mrs. W. Bryant, Jr, matron of honor; Mrs Nelson Goodwin, her bridesmaid, and Miss Sylvia Bryant, the junior bridesmaid, all wore corsage bouquets of pink carnations. Shaggy white and yellow chrysanthemums decorated the house effectively and the table, from which a buffet supper was served, was centred with a cut glass bowl of pink and red carnations, among which were lighted flower tapers. Mr and Mrs Farey received many gifts and flowers from their friends. Games were played and songs and tap dances by Miss Iris Brooks, accompanied by Mr Arthur Farey, were much enjoyed. The guests were Mr and Mrs. W. S Bryant, Sr, Mr and Mrs. H Selby, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bryant, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Little, Mr. and Mrs Thomas Bryant, Mr and Mrs. F Fry, Mr. and Mrs. F Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. George Farey, Mr. and Mrs. James Bryant, Sr, Mr and Mrs. Bert Simms, Mesdames W. Almond, Stekell, N. Goodwin, Messrs H Bickell, J. Bertwistle, Vernon Simms, Misses Sylvia and Violet Bryant, Iris and Doris Brooks, Jean Simms, Joyce Fry, Nancy Bryant and Masters George and Gordon Bryant.

Dinner at Spencer's

Seventy-three members of the Ex-B.C. Telephone Operators' Association and their friends gathered in the dining-room of David Spencer Ltd. last evening for the annual dinner, at which a large number of visitors from Vancouver were included in the party and given a warm welcome. The tables were attractively decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and pussy willows, and Mrs. Elizabeth Reston was in the chair. She proposed the toast to the King. Letters were read from a past-chief operator, Mrs. George Fisher, who is now in Vancouver, from Mrs. Beveridge in Los Angeles, Miss Montgomery and Mrs. Meltor, both of whom are in Vancouver. A special greeting was extended to Mrs Becky Hawes who was celebrating her silver wedding day, and to Mrs Comber, Portland, and Mrs. Allen who had been matrons at the telephone exchange years ago. After dinner there were games and community singing. Mrs. Fred Martin acting as accompanist.

Receives Pretty Gifts

A linen shower was given on Monday evening by Mrs. Charles Crowe, 1016 Linden Avenue, in honor of Miss Dorothy Simpson, whose marriage to Mr. Roy Kowalski takes place next week. A corsage bouquet of pink carnations was presented to the bride-to-be on her arrival. Then she was led to a chair decorated with pale pink streamers and here she sat to receive the pretty gifts presented in a box trimmed with pink and white crepe paper. An evening of games was enjoyed, the prizes being won by Misses N Martin, H Foxall, E. Martin and Mrs. G Silburn. A buffet supper was served later, the table, covered with a lace cloth, was centred with a silver bowl of white chrysanthemums. The guests were Mesdames George Silburn, H G Simpson, Robert Burns, D Pye Montgomery (Powell River), J Roys, E Palmer and Misses Nancy Martin, "Skippy" Zilnic, Isobel Stewart, Helen Foxall and Edith Martin.

Tea at Empress Hotel

Mrs. J. H Fletcher and Mrs. Bruce Hutchison presided at the table at the Women's Canadian Club tea held yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel after the club meeting. Those present at tea included Miss Gladys Arnold, the guest speaker; Mesdames James Adam, F M Bryant, Howard Taylor, H L Campbell, T H Johns, Kenneth Drury, L. Mark, S Bagley, C. J. McGill, W W McGill, J L Gayton, Charles Hislop, A. Fraser, H. P. Hodges, Elmore Philpott, H A Wills, C Pillar, C W Bradshaw, McConnell (Banff), Mackenzie-Grieve, J. G. Fox, J. B. Sinclair, G. J. Alexander, A. Dean, T. Grant, J ... Horsey, Herbert Pendray, J R. Nicolson, S Morrison (Vancouver) and J. Gough.

Here Rehearsing

Miss Mary Munn, well-known Canadian blind pianist, has come over for a few days from Vancouver, where she and her secretary, Miss Effie Mann, are now living, and is rehearsing sonata work with Miss Selma Reyes, with whom she will be giving a recital later in the season. Miss Munn will be returning to Vancouver at the week-end to broadcast over C.B.R. at 8:30 on Monday evening. While in Victoria, she and Miss Mann are staying at 1989 Crescent Road.

From Vancouver

Mrs. Herbert S. Wood, Vancouver, is visiting Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Driscoll, York Place, and will return home tomorrow. Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Driscoll will also leave for Vancouver tomorrow to visit their young relatives, Mr. and Mrs Brice Evans and Mr and Mrs. Bob Driscoll.

Returning South

Mrs. Dan Daniels, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hilton, Rockland Avenue, for the holiday season, is returning to her home in Santa Monica, Calif., this afternoon. Mrs. E G. Prior, St. Charles Street, was hostess at a small bridge party for Mrs. Daniels yesterday afternoon.

On Furlough

Sergeant Charles Milton and Lance-Corporal Fred Nex, of the 1st Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment, returned to the city yesterday afternoon from Debert, Nova Scotia, on their furlough. They will remain in Victoria until January 18.

Entertain for Visitors

Colonel and Mrs. C. V Bishop entertained a few friends at an informal cocktail party yesterday at their home at Work Point Barracks in honor of Brigadier and Mrs. W G. Colquhoun who are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Return Home

Mrs. B Godfrey and her daughter, Miss Irene Godfrey, have returned home after spending the Christmas holidays with Mr and Mrs. Leo Fowler, Quennell Farm, Cedar, V.I.

From Vancouver

Mrs. W. T. McCrum returned yesterday afternoon from Vancouver, where she spent the past two weeks visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Peters.

Home From Hospital

Mr A. C Campbell, who has been a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital for the last two months, has returned to his home on Richmond Avenue.

Returns to Seattle

Miss Bertha Winn, who has been the guest of Mme. E. Sanderson-Mongin, Harrison Street, during the holiday season, has now returned to her home in Seattle.

Left for Alberta

Mr. Esmond Horne has returned to the University of Alberta as a medical student, after spending the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horne, Beach Drive.

At James Bay Hotel

Major and Mrs W B Hunton, Cobble Hill, have arrived to spend a few weeks at the James Bay Hotel.

Weddings

McGILL—WALLACE

The marriage took place in Seattle on December 18 at the First Presbyterian Church when Rev. Hugh Armstrong united in marriage Miss Josie Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wallace, Pueblo, Colorado, and Mr. Peter McGill, Jr., son of Mr. Peter McGill, Victoria. The couple will make their home in Victoria.

KIRK—FARRELL

The marriage of Lorna Watson, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Farrell, 709 Connaught Street, and John Upton Kirk, R.C.A.S.C., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kirk, 1616 Belmont Avenue, took place at 8 30 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Brenen, Selkirk Avenue. During the ceremony, which was conducted by Rev. James Hyde, the young couple stood between baskets of white chrysanthemums.

The bride, who was given away by her father, entered the room to the strains of the wedding march, and wore an afternoon frock of pale blue crepe with touches of white, a matching turban, white accessories, and carried a posy of pink roses and lily of the valley. Attending her was her sister, Mrs. Alex Rawlings, in a dusty rose crepe dress with a matching turban and corsage bouquet of white chrysanthemums and pink roses, and Mr. Charles Kirk supported his brother.

The guests were welcomed by Mrs Farrell in a midnight blue lace dress and a wide-brimmed hat in the same shade, assisted by Mrs. Kirk in black, and both wore corsage sprays of pink roses and carnations. The supper table was covered with a cut-work linen cloth and centred with the cake which was flanked by silver vases of pink carnations. The bride left for a honeymoon in Vancouver, in a smart black outfit trimmed with mink.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk will live in Vernon for the present.

CROSSON—PATTERSON

The marriage took place quietly on Saturday, January 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the manse of the United Church, 100 Delaware Avenue, Toronto, when Annie Clara, only daughter of Mr and Mrs. Walter Patterson, 1335 Pembroke Street, Victoria, became the bride of Private Jack Crosson, 1st Battalion the Canadian Scottish Regiment Nova Scotia, younger son of Mr. and Mrs T L Crosson, Mary Street, Victoria, B.C. After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. N C. Cameron, 428 Gladstone Avenue, Toronto.

Royal Dolls Have Arrived

MLLE. MARIANNE AND MLLE. FRANCE

THE much talked-of Royal dolls, presented in the Summer of 1938 by the children of France to the Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose when their royal parents visited Paris, have now arrived in the city, and at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon Lady Byng will formally open the fortnight-long exhibition of the dolls at the Hudson's Bay Company's store.

The dolls have been shown all across Canada, and have already raised nearly $15,000 for the Canadian National Committee on Refugees. Here the exhibition is being sponsored by the Local Council of Women, and Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, president, and Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin, vice-president, were at the boat on Sunday to receive the dolls and their personal manager, Miss Christine Bealth, Ottawa, who is supervising the setting up of the display. The full reception committee includes in addition to Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. MacLaurin, Dr. Olga Jardine, vice-president of the National Council of Women; Mrs. A. C. Ross, vice-president of the Provincial Council of Women; Miss Margaret Clay, national president of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs, and A. J. Watson, manager of the Hudson's Bay Company. Mrs. George Andrews is local assistant to Miss Bealth.

Y.P.S. NEWS

ST. ANDREW'S

The regular meeting of the Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was held on Monday evening. It was opened by a devotional service under the direction of Margaret Stewart. Due to the resignation of Bill Haymond, Bill Goddard was elected treasurer by acclamation. Following the business meeting, two impromptu debates were held, with Gordon Winter as chairman. For the first debate, "Resolved, That Modern Music Is Better Than Classical Music," the members were divided into two groups, with the negative winning. The second debate was "Resolved That Canada's War Effort Is Sufficient," with Margaret Phillips and Alan Anderson taking the affirmative and Emma Anderson and Bill Haymond taking the negative. On the decision of the members, the affirmative won. On Sunday, January 12, after the church service, there will be held a song service, at which refreshments are to be served. All young people and men on active service are welcome.

WILL SPONSOR FREE DANCE FOR SOLDIERS

A dance will be held on Friday evening at the Armoury, Bay Street, from 8 o'clock until midnight, under the sponsorship of Military District Depot No. 11, with the permission of Lieutenant-Colonel G. G. Aitken, M.C., officer commanding the depot.

The affair is being arranged by a committee headed by Captain A S Page, and is for members of the A F and R F only. The dance is free to these soldiers and their partners, the only stipulation being that members of the R F must wear uniforms.

P.-T.A. Activities

OAKLANDS

The Oaklands P.-T.A. will hold a modern dance in the school auditorium on Friday evening. A popular orchestra has been engaged and dancing will continue from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Refreshments will be served.

MONTEREY

A meeting of the Monterey study group will be held at the home of Mrs. H S Hurn, 1073 Deal Street, on Friday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock. All new members are welcome.

JAMES BAY

The James Bay Parent-Teacher Association met last evening in the auditorium of South Park School. Mr. Stanley Bulley was the guest speaker, taking as his subject "The Value of Music in the School." He illustrated his remarks with a number of very fine gramophone records. Music, he said, had been listed by prominent educationists as "the second most important thing in life, for music was energy and energy was life." Plans were made for a Valentine tea in February.

SYDNEY, N.S.W. (CP)—Trade officials are considering a suggestion that Australia supply 50,000,000 pounds of low-grade beef (value $4,000,000) for dog food for the United States' 18,000,000 dogs.

RED CROSS

NEW YEAR ZEAL

"With the turn of the year, Brit... workers will carry on every kind of needed war work with greater zeal and determination than ever," states Mrs. H A. Ramsden, chairman of the Red Cross Women's War Work Committee of this province. "Much has been achieved since the war began sixteen months ago, but more will be accomplished in 1941. Our women now realize the necessity of our high Red Cross standards of workmanship for hospital supplies and service needs. Our branch chairmen clearly understand our methods and maintain a rigid inspection of all articles before they are turned into our provincial warehouse.

"The latest type of work is the making of woollen comforts and other necessary articles, such as long and knee-length stockings, sockees, bed socks, woollen bloomers, vests, woollen gloves, helmets, pullovers and cardigans (with and without sleeves), small pillows, laundry bags and other more personal comforts for the Women's Auxiliary Territorial Services of Great Britain. Wool and a special Red Cross booklet of instructions have already gone forth to branches undertaking the work. British Columbia's quota is approximately 9,000 articles."

OUTPOST CHRISTMAS

Because of a donation of $30 from the Lions Club of Vancouver, local Christmas trees and Yuletide favors and decorations provided the nursing staff of British Columbia's four Red Cross outpost hospitals at Bamfield, Cecil Lake, McBride and Zeballos, Christmas was made a happier occasion in these frontier districts.

FOR BOMB VICTIMS

"Comforts and supplies made by loving hands of Canadian women have been and will be given to all arms of Canadian Forces and to victims of bombed areas and evacuees in Great Britain," was the main message of cabled "Season's Greetings" to every Red Cross official and worker in the Dominion from the Canadian Red Cross overseas office in London.

TOFINO BRANCH

Tofino Red Cross branch reports raising three times the local objective of the National Campaign Fund No. 2, the last $17 coming from a tiny settlement at the Estevan Point Radio Station, fifty miles west of Tofino, making a grand total of $300.

LAKE HILL UNIT

The annual meeting of the Lake Hill Red Cross Unit will be held on Monday, January 13, at 2 30 p.m. All members are requested to attend this special meeting, and any others interested in Red Cross work will be welcomed.

STRAWBERRY VALE UNIT

The fortnightly meetings of the Strawberry Vale Red Cross Unit will commence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, when members will meet at the home of Mrs. E Groutage, Gerda Road. Any person in the district who is interested in the work will be welcomed and tea will be served by the hostess.

SHAWNIGAN UNIT

The annual meeting of the Shawnigan Lake Unit was held in the Shawnigan Lake Library on Monday afternoon. The president, Mr. W. Maitland, was in the chair. Excellent annual reports were given showing commendable efforts in every line. The secretary-treasurer's report showed that over $600 had been raised by means of campaign donations, entertainments, subscription boxes, teas, dances and generous donations from the private schools and from local citizens. Mrs. W B Broocke, sewing convener, reported 906 articles completed, while Mrs. A Hallet, knitting convener, showed a total of 321 articles. Mrs. G. Orr, convener of refugee work, reported 378 garments made over, as well as seventeen pyjamas, forty-six nightgowns and eighty-two baby napkins made from new material supplied from headquarters. Three general and fourteen committee meetings had been held. Mention was made with gratitude of the unit's indebtedness to the library committee for the use of the library building, and to Mrs. A. Garrad and Mrs. T Brewer for the loan of sewing-machines.

In the election of officers which followed, the results were: President, Mr W. Maitland (re-elected); secretary-treasurer, Mr. G. Garrad; committee, Mrs. A. Hallet, Mrs. G. Orr, Mrs. F M. Gannon, Miss P. Furlonge, Mrs. J. R Bowett, Mrs. E. G. Gibson and Mr. C. Page. Hearty votes of thanks were accorded Mrs. W. E. Fraser, retiring secretary, for her untiring work and to Mr. G. S Gibson for his kindness in auditing the books.

MADE 33,911 ARTICLES

The monthly report of the Red Cross distributing centre states that in the month of December 2,051 knitted and sewn finished garments were received from the voluntary workers in the various units of the city and district, making a total for the year of 33,911 articles. Surgical dressings numbered 26,428 for the same period. Approximately 1,550 new garments were shipped to Britain during December for the women and children victims of the merci...

Victoria Couple Wed On New Year's Eve

—Photo by Campbell

MR. AND MRS. A. HANSEN

WHO were married at the Metropolitan United Church on New Year's Eve. Before her marriage, Mrs. Hansen was Miss Hilda Norton.

INVITATIONS ARRIVE AFTER THE EVENT

SHANGHAI, Jan. 7 (AP)—British and United States naval officers received invitations too late to attend the annual Japanese naval review held today in Hong Kew, Japanese-controlled section of the International Settlement. The invitations arrived after the ceremonies were completed. Italian and Vichy French naval attaches witnessed the display.

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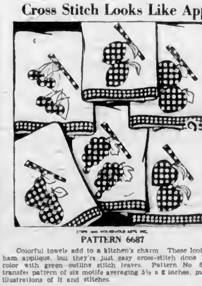

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BRAVE ACTION SAVED A LIFE

Crippled Man Crawled Through Night to Bring Aid to Injured Friend

"Such action is worthy of high recognition, even as deeds of valor ... pleasure that I present to you this meritorious certificate granted by the Royal Canadian Humane Society, in full recognition of your heroic action," Hon. C. B. Leary said yesterday, in presenting John Houston, Nakusp Hot Springs, with the parchment award of the society for saving the life of Louis Gensick, who was badly mauled by a power saw last year.

Acting for the Provincial Secretary, Mr. Leary recalled how Mr Houston, at present spending the Winter in Victoria with friends, had bound up the almost severed arm of the injured man and applied a tourniquet to stop the flow of blood which otherwise would have been fatal. Then, finding himself alone with the suffering man and seven miles from the nearest hope of help, Mr. Houston, severely crippled with arthritis, alternately walked and crawled all night through snow and rain to bring aid.

MILE AN HOUR

Speaking modestly of what to him must have been a terrible ordeal Mr. Houston said he traveled a mile an hour over a rough bush trail, with a small flashlight used sparingly at the roughest places. Before dawn he arrived at a cabin, where Gensick's son and others were roused, and rushed back over the trail to bring in the injured man. Gensick Mr. Houston said, had had the good sense not to disturb the tourniquet. He learned first aid as a teacher in Nelson schools, a position he vacated a few years ago due to ill-health.

The award was made in the presence of Philip Walker, deputy provincial secretary, Arthur Dixon, deputy minister of public works, and others in Mr. Leary's office, at a briefly informal ceremony at 3 p.m. Hon. C. S. Leary, who himself holds battle decorations from 1914-18, told Mr. Houston he had seldom heard of a braver action in civil life.

Canadian Troops on Skis

Taking a lesson from the gallant fight put up by the Finns against the Russian armies, Canada is now training picked men as instructors in skiing. These instructors are shown on a cross-country run to the Gatineau Hills, not far from Ottawa.

Hudson's Bay Company.
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This Morning's Specials
Wednesday Store Hours: 9 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Women's Shoes
Only 100 pairs in this Wednesday Morning Special, reduced from higher priced lines to clear. Pumps, gores and ties Not all sizes, but a good range in the group. No refunds or exchanges, please. Special ... 1.49
Women's Rubbers
Regular 75c. First quality gutta percha low top rubbers in high medium and low heels. Special ... 59c
Women's Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY
Children's Gloves
Regular 75c leather trimmed fabric, and 49c wool gloves in a broken assortment of colors Sizes 3 to 6 collectively. No phone orders, please Special, pair ... 39c
Children's Gloves, Street Floor at THE BAY
ENGLISH BATH SOAP
Fern, Red Roses, Verbena Leaf and Eau de Cologne. Regular 35c cake. Half Day Clearance Price, cake ... 23c
COSMETIC BAGS
Rubberized bags with zipper or snap closing. Regular 98c. Special for this morning, each ... 59c
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A limited number of the large size bottle An excellent lotion to bring new beauty to your skin. To clear, bottle ... 49c
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Good quality flannelette, hemmed and wrapped ready for service. Size 27 x 27 inches. Special, doz ... 1.49
INFANTS' KIMONOS
Fine beacon cloth, silk bound with silk cord waist. Pink or blue Special, each ... 79c
INFANTS' SHORTENING DRESSES
Fine cotton voile, neatly styled with little puff sleeves, ribbon and lace trim White only. Special, each ... 79c
Children's Wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY
Wool or Silk Remnants
1/3 to 1/2 Off Regular Prices
Shop early this morning for this special clearance of fabric oddments, including Coatings, Suitings, Wool Crepes, Rayon Crepes in plain and figured; Silk Failles, Rayons and Laces. Check them and buy enough for new additions to your Spring wardrobe.
Fabrics, Street Floor at THE BAY
Staple Remnants
1/3 Off A good selection of oddments from which to choose Includes. Bleached Sheeting, Unbleached Sheeting, Pillow Cases, Sheets, Flannelette. Sale Price, 1/3 off regular prices
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WE PROUDLY PRESENT OUR BEST ALL-BRITISH PROGRAMME . . .
THE SUCCESSOR TO "NIGHT MUST FALL"
IS MURDER EVER JUSTIFIABLE? IS MURDER A FINE ART?
THE SCREEN ANSWERS DARINGLY IN . . .
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DRAMA OF A MAN BURIED ALIVE! WHO LIVED TO TELL THE TALE DEAD MEN NEVER TELL—
With HAY PETRIE, BARBARA EVEREST
ONE OF THE BEST PICTURES OF THE YEAR
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ALEXANDER KORDA PRESENTS
Miriam HOPKINS in Men are not Gods
With NOEL COWARD'S Playmate
GERTRUDE LAWRENCE
You Laughed at Her in the Play "Skylark"
REX HARRISON and A. E. MATTHEWS
ANOTHER SENSATIONAL BRITISH COMEDY
● LAUGHS AMID REAL LOVE

Pen Friendships Are Discouraged

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Jan. 7 (AP). — The Department of Education announced today that it was discouraging school children from corresponding with children of other lands. The department felt such pen friendships might be used by the enemy to obtain valuable information and to spread Nazi propaganda.

SENTENCED FOR ROBBERY

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP). — John Charles Barrett, twenty-one, a Canadian soldier, was sentenced to three years in a penitentiary today after his conviction at the Old Bailey on charges of armed robbery and attempted armed robbery.

TODAY!
A HUNDRED ELECTRIFYING ADVENTURES!
A UNITED ARTISTS SPECIAL
Hal Roach presents KENNETH ROBERTS' (Author of "NORTHWEST PASSAGE")
CAPTAIN CAUTION
Victor MATURE • Louise PLATT
Leo CARRILLO • Bruce CABOT
2nd HIT!
ROMANCE AND EXCITEMENT!
TIM HOLT in "WAGON TRAIN"
YORK

NANAIMO COUNCIL SWORN TO OFFICE

Mayor Suggests Present City Hall And Police Station Be Used As Soldiers Club

NANAIMO, Jan. 7.—The Nanaimo City Council was sworn in to office last night by Magistrate C. H. Beevor-Potts, who for twenty-five years in succession has performed the duty. Mayor V. B. Harrison, re-elected for his fourth consecutive term, and his sixth term in all, was the first to take the oath of office. Aldermen W. Grieves, George Muir and C. Salter, all re-elected for a two-year term, took the oath, with Alderman George Addison, the only new alderman on the board being sworn in for a one-year term. J. Kerr and J. Hindmarch each have a year to serve. Nanaimo was incorporated in 1874 and tonight saw the installation of its sixty-seventh council.

Mayor Harrison, in making suggestions for the coming year suggested that the council turn over the present city hall and police station to the soldiers of Camp Nanaimo for their city recreational centres. The city, he pointed out, would have to raise money to construct a city hall and police station on the old brewery site which last year was purchased for this purpose. His Worship also suggests the council work for a railway connection with the Mainland, by way of a ferry slip and the re-establishment here of terminal rates. He also suggested there should be a check up by authorities on the necessity of air raid precautions here.

Following the council meeting, the aldermen and city officials were guests of the Mayor at a dinner at the Plaza Hotel.

ALUMNI TO HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

A general business meeting of the Victoria High School Alumni Association will be held tonight, at 8 o'clock, at the Cat 'n' Fiddle.

Final arrangements for the bringing of Sandy Desantis' Orchestra from Vancouver to play at their next dance, on Tuesday, February 4, at the Empress Hotel, will be discussed.

SOCIAL TONIGHT

The Army and Navy Veterans of Canada will hold a social evening tonight, commencing at 8 o'clock, in the billiard room of their clubrooms Members of the "Arf a Mo" concert party will be present.

Woolworth Store And Building to Be Altered Here

F. W. Woolworth & Co., Ltd., secured an $80,000 city building permit yesterday for alterations to company premises at 1200 Douglas Street. Luoey Brothers, Ltd., are the contractors, and William Sutherland the architect.

Plans call for bricking in of the View Street side of the store, where a restaurant and kitchens will be installed. The Douglas Street entrance will be shifted, new rest rooms added on the second floor and the heating plant moved.

Extensive use of structural steel will give the building added strength. Exterior walls will be finished in brick. Alterations to living accommodation on the upper floors and the front of the building will be carried out.

FIRE IN ALBERTA

VERMILION, Alta., Jan. 7 (CP).—Damage estimated at $19,000 was caused by a fire that swept the buildings and yard of the Alberta Western Lumber Company here today. Cause of the blaze has not been ascertained.

At the Theatres

KAY KYSER AND BAND AT CAPITOL

"You'll Find Out" Presents Popular Orchestra Leader in Eerie Musical Film

Kay Kyser's new film, "You'll Find Out," which opens today at the Capitol Theatre, is delightful and different, being a blood-curdling mystery yarn with tune-tingling accompaniment.

The shuddersome portions are provided by those thorough-going villains, Peter Lorre, Boris Karloff and Bela Lugosi, who are seen as three diabolical individuals engaged in the reprehensible task of trying to murder a charming young lady so they can make a lot o money.

Against this sinister scheme and its appropriate background of a gloomy old mansion stuffed with savage trophies and trick passageways, is laid the tuneful story of Kay Kyser, a syncopating sleuth who comes to the mansion with his band to play for the heroine's birthday party and winds up unravelling the fiendish machinations of the three bad men.

DOMINION THEATRE George Formby, the famous British comedian, is proving to be a sensational attraction at the Dominion Theatre, where his current starring vehicle, "Keep Your Seats, Please," is now showing. Providing action, excitement and laughter, the new picture gives the inimitable "Lancashire Lad" unlimited scope to put over his famous songs.

OAK BAY THEATRE Robert Young, Maureen O'Sullivan, Lewis Stone, William Gargan and Lynne Carver combine their varied talents in "Sporting Blood," which ends today at the Oak Bay Theatre. It is a race track story in a new setting and with an entirely new idea. It has all the thrills of big races being run, with a spectacular fire thrown in for good measure.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Gary Cooper in "The Westerner."

Cadet—"Typhoon," with Dorothy Lamour.

Capitol—Kay Kyser in "You'll Find Out."

Dominion—"Keep Your Seats, Please," with George Formby.

Oak Bay—Robert Young in "Sporting Blood."

Plaza—"Pastor Hall," with Wilfred Lawson.

Rio—"I Was an Adventuress," with Richard Greene.

York — "Captain Caution," with Victor Mature.

PLAZA THEATRE Marius Goring, appearing in James Roosevelt's presentation, "Pastor Hall," now playing at the Plaza Theatre, has for years been inclined to fly into a rage if anyone pronounced his name like that of Field Marshal Goering. "My name," he states firmly, "is an old English one and rhymes with boring, not bearing." Yet, in "Pastor Hall," he plays a heartless, fanatical Nazi, a storm troop leader.

RIO THEATRE Hollywood Stand-Ins, Inc., is finding a staunch supporter in Richard Greene. The organization, whose purpose is to promote the welfare of the stars' stand-ins and to get them film roles, was formed while Greene was acting opposite Zorina in "I Was an Adventuress," the 20th Century-Fox picture, which ends today at the Rio Theatre.

YORK THEATRE The roaring action of battles on the high seas, the thrilling, smashing action of two vessels fighting for supremacy is unfolded with terrific impact and amazing realism in Hal Roach's "Captain Caution," the sweeping sea epic based on Kenneth Roberts' best seller which is now showing on the screen of the York Theatre.

ATLAS THEATRE "The Law West of the Pecos," the struggle between the homesteaders and the cowmen, the beauty of "The Jersey Lily," and the romance of a wandering cowboy form a great bit of entertainment in "The Westerner," which ends today at the Atlas Theatre.

CADET THEATRE Torrential rains and the awe-inspiring terror of a tropical hurricane save Dorothy Lamour, Robert Preston and Lynne Overman from cremation on a burning island, and provide the thrilling climax to Paramount's new Technicolor South Sea romance "Typhoon," which ends today at the Cadet Theatre.

What Today Means

"CAPRICORN"

If January 8 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8 to 10 a.m.; from 2 to 4 p.m., and from 8 to 10 p.m. The danger periods are from 6 to 8 a.m.; from 6 to 8 p.m., and from 10 p.m. until midnight.

Balk if you find your graciousness of manner in the performance of some act of courtesy being imposed upon. Too many people will ask favors on January 8 and then take for granted that they are under no obligation. On this day the average person will expect to have all services for him done immediately, and will probably exhibit an appalling amount of impatience if they are kept waiting. A lack of tact is apt to be very noticeable among people who should not be deficient in it, but whose feeling of self-importance will make them forgetful that it is sometimes important to display it. Many persons have long memories, especially when it comes to remembering discourtesies, so be careful not to plant the seed of resentment in anyone's mind on this date. Married and engaged couples, and those who are busy in the pursuit of happiness through courtship, will do well to bear in mind that sarcasm is an irritant that may react adversely on even the best-tempered people on this date, so it will be good judgment not to resort to it.

If a woman and January 8 is your birthday, you may find yourself in a position where it is best for you to make your own decisions because of existing circumstances, the details of which you alone are thoroughly familiar. You cannot tell a lawyer or doctor only half your story if you expect to be conversant enough with your troubles to advise you properly. Sentiment and business will not mix on this day, so be sure to keep them separated. As a librarian, trained nurse, government employee, business woman, musician, author, teacher, or actress, a bright future should await you.

The child born on January 8 has, as a rule, an extremely sweet tooth which makes it advisable for parents to be on their guard against this youngster's indulgence, between meals, of an excessive amount of sweetmeats. The regulation of habits appears to be the principle thing needed to assure this youngster's future advancement.

If a man and January 8 is your natal day, cultivate friends if you wish to avoid loneliness. An overdose of solitude can have a detrimental effect upon your disposition and outlook on life, and may result in your becoming very irritable when daily routine brings you into contact with your fellow man. Brooding is depressing, and cast down spirits usually result in a curtailment of efficiency, so keep your spirits up by mixing with people and going places. As an editor, author, inventor, theologian, jurist, engineer, composer, musician, business executive, salesman or educator, you should find congenial and profitable employment.

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COMMITTEES NAMED BY DUNCAN MAYOR

DUNCAN, Jan. 7 — Business of routine nature took up most of the time of the inaugural meeting of the city council for 1941, last night.

Mayor Lee announced his standing committees for the year as follows. Finance, Aldermen Savage and Greig; streets, Aldermen Evans and Fox; sewerage, health and buildings, Alderman Savage and the mayor; poverty and distress, Alderman Fox and the mayor; hospital, Aldermen Greig; fire wardens, Aldermen Fox and Greig; electric light and water, Alderman Evans and the mayor.

A special committee consisting of Mayor Lee, Alderman Savage and City Treasurer E. R. Fox was appointed to handle all funds under the War Charities Act, in connection with the Lord Mayor's Fund.

HURRY! TODAY and THURS. ONLY
VICTORIA CROWDS ACCLAIM THE "LANCASHIRE LAD" IN THIS GRAND BRITISH COMEDY!
George Formby
"KEEP YOUR SEATS, PLEASE"
HE'S A RIOT! BRITAIN STILL DELIVERS THE GOODS AND HOW!
ADDED! The Famous Radio Quiz "TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT"
"CRIME DOESN'T PAY"
CARTOON IN COLOR
WORLD NEWS
DOMINION
SAVE MONEY WITH "THRIFTICKETS"!

ENDS TODAY
GARY COOPER ★ THE WESTERNER
with WALTER BRENNAN
added A Meek One Becomes Wild "GOLDEN FLEECING" With Lew Ayres Rita Johnson
ATLAS

PLAZA - Now Showing
"I was very greatly stirred by it!" . . . LORD BEAVERBROOK
THE MOST PROFOUNDLY MOVING PICTURE EVER MADE!
Pastor Hall
INSPIRED BY THE LIFE OF PASTOR NIEMOELLER
starring WILFRED LAWSON NOVA PILBEAM SIR SEYMOUR HICKS
Because of its thrilling climax - no one will be seated during the last ten minutes! WE URGE YOU TO SEE IT FROM THE BEGINNING!

Through the Courtesy of Mr. R. Calladine, Owner of the
PLAZA THEATRE
The Rotary Club is sponsoring a drive for the sale of tickets on the DIAMOND BROOCH RAFFLE in aid of the Lord Mayor of London's Fund, at the showing of
"PASTOR HALL"
This picture has received praise and endorsement from Lord Beaverbrook, Leslie Howard, and many other prominent men in Great Britain. It has also received praise from Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt of the United States

RIO - ENDS TODAY
RICHARD GREENE
'I Was an Adventuress'
PLUS
JOHN WAYNE
'Allegheny Uprising'
EXTRA — NEWS
10c 15c

OAK BAY
DON'T MISS THIS GREAT ROMANCE OF THE TURF
ROBERT YOUNG · MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN
"SPORTING BLOOD"
GEORGE RAFT · ANN SHERIDAN
"THEY DRIVE BY NIGHT"

CADET
Only 5 Minutes From Yates
ENDS TODAY
"TYPHOON" DOROTHY LAMOUR ROBT. PRESTON
PLUS—"BIG GUY"—VICTOR McLAGLEN — ADDED—NEWS—STARTS AT 6 P.M.

DODDS KIDNEY PILLS
A TREATMENT FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATIC PAINS, BLADDER TROUBLES

CHICAGO CAPTURES WILD ICE FIXTURE FROM THE RANGERS

Madison Square Garden Fans Witness Several Fights as Black Hawks Win 3-2 Decision—Toronto Leafs Beat Canadiens in Overtime, 4-3—Bruins and Detroit in Tie

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F	Goals A	P
Toronto	15	7	1	67	47	31
Detroit	12	6	6	58	44	30
Boston	8	7	7	74	55	23
Chicago	8	10	5	51	59	21
Rangers	8	11	5	65	64	21
Canadiens	8	12	3	52	64	19
Americans	6	12	5	42	76	17

Last Night's Scores

Toronto 4 Canadiens 3 (overtime).
Chicago 3, Rangers 2.
Boston 1, Detroit 1 (overtime).

Next Games

Tomorrow Night—Canadiens at Chicago; Detroit at Americans.

Saturday Night—Americans at Toronto; Boston at Canadiens.

Sunday Night—Canadiens at Boston, Detroit at Chicago; Americans at Rangers.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (CP).—Chicago Black Hawks defeated New York Rangers, 3-2, in a National Hockey League game tonight that saw the worst free-for-all fight here since the famed Ranger-Boston Donnybrook in the Stanley Cup series of 1939.

Five major penalties, two of them to Joe Cooper, the Hawk defenceman, were imposed by Referee Bill Stewart. The quarrel started in a first-period flare-up when Cooper flattened Phil Watson with a blow to the head with his stick after Watson had elbowed him. Cooper got his first major for that, while Watson drew a minor.

The second period had barely got under way when Art Coulter scored on a long shot, tying the score at 1-1 after Cully Dahlstrom had netted in the first period. Coulter's goal was the signal for a big fight. Cooper and Watson came together, fists swinging, and Phil Hergesheimer and Coulter quickly joined in. All four drew majors. The other players got into the brawl, particularly Bryan Hextall, Murray Patrick and Dahlstrom escaped without banishment.

Lynn Patrick gave Rangers a 2-1 lead while the teams were playing four a side, but two quick goals halfway through the last period brought the visitors victory.

Johnny Mariucci, the former football player, set up one of these, giving Bob Carse a pass at the goalmouth. Then Earl Seibert leaned on a drive from the blue line, scoring through a maze of legs, for the winning goal.

Murray Patrick also figured in the last big fight here, breaking Eddie Shore's nose in the 1938 Stanley Cup clash.

Line-Ups

Rangers—Kerr; Heller, Pratt; N Colville; M Colville, L. Patrick. Subs: Coulter, Shibicky, Watson, Hiller, C. Smith, Hextall, MacDonald, M. Patrick, Pike.

Chicago—Lo Presti; Seibert, Wiebe; Thoms; G. Allen, Dahlstrom. Subs: March, Cooper, W. Carse, Hergesheimer, Mariucci, D Bentley, R. Carse, M Bentley, Chad.

Officials—Stewart and Chadwick.

Summary

First Period—1, Chicago, Dahlstrom (Hergesheimer, D. Bentley), 4 46. Penalties: Watson, Cooper (major).

Second Period—2, Rangers, Coulter (Watson), 2 33; 3, Rangers, L Patrick (N. Colville), 4 27. Penalties: Coulter (major), Hergesheimer (major), Cooper (major), Watson (major), W Carse.

Third Period—4, Chicago, R Carse (Mariucci, M. Bentley), 6 31; 5, Chicago, Seibert (Thoms), 11 57. Penalty: Coulter.

WINGS IN DRAW

BOSTON, Jan. 7 (AP).—Detroit Red Wings, undefeated in six starts, dropped out of a first-place National Hockey League deadlock with Toronto tonight as Boston's crippled Bruins held them to a 1-1 overtime tie before 11,000 at the Boston Garden.

The Bruins have escaped defeat for six games, but their last four contests have wound up ties, the others being against New York Americans and Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks.

The Red Wings rapped in the first goal during the sixteenth minute of play. It was scored by Carl Liscombe on a rebound from Art Herchenratter.

Halfway through the second period, Rookie Terry Reardon, centring Boston's third line with Pat McCreavy and Gordon Bruce, his recent teammates at the Bruins' American League farm at Hershey, Pa., rapped in the equalizer.

Due to the absence of Milt Schmidt, called to his Kitchener, Ont., home by the death of his father, the Bruins had to revamp two of their lines, and the third one had to operate at three-quarters speed, for Bill Cowley, the league's highest scorer, and Roy Conacher have not fully recovered from recent leg injuries.

Line-Ups

Boston—Brimsek, Smith, Clapper; Jackson; Dumart, Sauer. Subs.: Cowley, Conacher, Wiseman, Reardon, Bruce, McCreavy, Cain, Crawford, Hamill.

Detroit—Mowers; Stewart, Orlando; Grosso; Abel, Wares. Subs.: Bruneteau, Giesebrecht, Howe, Goodfellow, Motter, Fisher, Herchenratter, Fisher, Liscombe.

Officials—Ion and Smith.

Summary

First Period—1, Detroit, Liscombe (Herchenratter, Fisher), 15 25. Penalty, Crawford.

Second Period—2, Boston, Reardon, 10 34. Penalties, Bruneteau, Cowley, Wares.

Third Period—Scoring, none. Penalty, Wares.

Overtime Period—Scoring, none. Penalty, Stewart.

LEAFS IN VICTORY

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP).—Toronto Maple Leafs, bidding to pull out of their first-place tie with Detroit Red Wings in the National Hockey League, earned a 4-3 overtime victory over Montreal Canadiens here tonight after Canadiens had twice battled from behind to tie the count.

A crowd of 10,302 watched Don Metz score half way through the extra session for a tally that assured Toronto of at least a share of the top berth with the Wings, meanwhile playing the Bruins, at Boston. The loss dropped Canadiens into sixth place.

The overtime was forced when a tally by Rookie Johnny Quilty, late in the third period, climaxed a brilliant uphill battle by the Canadiens, who earlier had come from behind on a pair of goals by Elmer Lach to tie the count at 2-2. Gordie Drillon's goal sent the Leafs back into a lead that Quilty overcame.

The Leafs went into an early lead in the first period when Nick Metz set up Centre Syl Apps for a goal at 16.33, while Defenceman Jack Portland, of Montreal, was serving a slashing penalty. Sweeney Schriner made it 2-0 on a solo effort before two minutes of the third period had passed.

Moments later, however, Canadiens opened their offensive when Lach swept through the Toronto team and found the inside post of the net for a counter that Goalie Turk Broda protested vigorously, claiming it hadn't gone into the net. Referee King Clancy overruled the protest after a conference with the goal judge.

Two minutes later Lach took a pass from Defenceman Cliff Goupille and fired the puck into the Toronto net.

The tally threw the game wide open and Toronto's reorganized attack soon sent them into a 3-2 lead in the cluster of third-period scoring. The goal was scored by Drillon.

With about seven minutes remaining, Quilty scored for Montreal's second tying counter. The deadlock lasted until 5:23 of the extra ten minutes, when Don Metz tallied the winning counter.

Line-Ups

Toronto—Broda; McDonald, Stanowski; Taylor; D. Metz, Schriner. Subs.: Davidson, Hamilton, Langelle, Chisholm, Apps, Drillon, N Metz, Heron, Goldup.

Canadiens—Gardiner; Goupille, Portland; Lach; Demers, Adams. Subs.: Reardon, Benoit, Blake, Drouin, Sands, Getliffe, Chamberlain, Quilty, Singbush.

Officials: King Clancy, referee; Archie Wilcox, linesman.

Summary

First Period—1, Toronto, Apps (N Metz), 16 33. Penalty: Portland.

Second Period—No score. Penalties: Taylor, McDonald.

Third Period—2, Toronto, Schriner, 1 12; 3, Canadiens, Lach, 3 23; 4, Canadiens, Lach (Goupille), 5 23; 5, Toronto, Drillon (Apps, McDonald), 8 52; 6, Canadiens, Quilty (Benoit, Portland), 13.00.

Overtime Period—7, Toronto, D Metz (Hamilton, Schriner), 5 23.

Contenders For Western Canada Basketball Crown

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP).—A group of United States players will probably be strong contenders for the Western Canada senior basketball title this year, George Wilson, of Winnipeg, said here tonight. He is the Manitoba representative on the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association executive.

Here on a business trip, Wilson said that the former United States players are competing in a Brandon league as a Royal Canadian Air Force team.

Juvenile Soccer Meeting Carded

An important meeting of the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Commission will be held in The Colonist board room tomorrow evening at 7 30 o'clock. All clubs are asked to have representatives present.

Vacancies still exist in the four divisions of the league and those interested in entering any of the sections are invited to attend tomorrow's parley. Commissioners will lend every assistance in the organization of clubs. Divisions and age limits are: First Division, under eighteen; Second Division, under sixteen; Third Division, under fifteen, and Fourth Division, under fourteen.

DUNCAN, Jan. 7.—J. B Creighton was winner of the men's monthly medal Sunday at the Cowichan Golf Club, with a card of 85-26—59. O. Drooh, with 88-16—72, and H. S Fox, with 96-24—72, tied for second place. Other competitors were R. C Mainguy, E W. Carr-Hilton, A. E P. Stubbs, V. W Tarlton, J. Martin, T. H. Kingscote, O. K Hobson, A Campbell, R E Bass and F R Gooding.

Playing With Local Squad

HUGH MILLEN

—Photos by Staff Photographer.
BILLY GIBB

TWO more members of the Victoria Duroid Raiders hockey squad who will be on the line-up tonight when the locals clash with Port Alberni in their third game on the Island League schedule at the Nanaimo Ice Arena. Victoria dropped its first tussle to Nanaimo 4-2 but came back strong the next time out and fired home fourteen goals to turn back Alberni, 14-1. The Raiders will be strong favorites to win this evening's game, but the score is expected to be much closer. Gibb alternates at the centre position while Millen either is working on one of the forward lines or playing defence. The team will leave from the Blue Line Depot at 5:30, and all players and members of the executive are asked to be on time as the bus will not be held up.

Adanacs Play Dominoes Here Saturday Evening

New Westminster Hoopsters Booked For Inter-City Basketball Attraction at Sports Centre—Cards, St. Louis College and "Y" Win

Victoria Dominoes, former rulers of Canada's national basketball domain, will return to the inter-city cage picture Saturday evening at the Sports Centre, where they will entertain the New Westminster Adanacs in the first senior "A" men's exhibition fixture of 1941. The battle will be the feature attraction of a triple bill, and will round out a good programme of basketball on the large floor at the Willows.

Dominoes will be at full strength for the fixture with the Adanacs, and will be out to lengthen their home-winning streak at the expense of clubs in the Vancouver Basketball League. Locals opened their season by defeating the Maple Leafs, present Canadian champions, and in a later battle turned back the Angelus Hotel squad.

New Westminster Adanacs, present third-berth occupants in the Mainland circuit, will be faced with the stiff task of trying to turn back the smooth functioning Victoria Dominoes on their home floor. Locals, according to Manager Dave Nicol, will be at full strength, and ready for any opposition that the boys from the city on the banks of the Fraser River may wish to offer.

RESUME PLAY

Teams in the city cage league resumed action on the local hoop front last night, after their annual lay-off for the holiday season. Three fixtures were played at the Victoria High School gymnasium, with minor clubs and women's cagette squads sharing the spotlight.

Playing in the evening's nightcap, Jack Taylor's Cardinals trounced the Adverts, 45-13. The eventual winners set up a substantial early lead and were never in trouble.

Eileen Snyder and Doreen Crowe paced the Cards by pushing up sixteen and twelve points, respectively. Isa Milliken was top sniper for the Adverts with seven points.

Cardinals drew up at the half-time breather with the score 22-5 in their favor, and tossed home twenty-three points in the two final sessions. Adverts potted eight points.

St. Louis College, leaders in the junior boys' division, turned back Fairfield Ramblers, 28-21, after an interesting exhibition. Clarkson, consistently high scorer for the students, paved the way to victory by scoring seventeen of his team's total points. Collegians led 11-9 at half-time.

Coach Harry Zaruk's Y.M.C.A. cagers defeated Fairfield, 26-23, in an intermediate "B" boys' attraction. The quintettes matched point for point in the two opening quarters, and pulled up at the long breather with the score at 9-9. "Y" hoopsters moved out in front in the next period and reached the three-quarter mark with a four-point margin. In the final session Fairfield outscored their opponents by a lone point.

Referees, J. Taylor and Zaruk.

Line-ups and scorers:

Cardinals—V. Hannan 6, E Snyder 16, B. Hutchings 9, F. Mason, M. Rice 2, D. Crowe 12. Total 45.

Adverts—E. LeBus, 1. Milliken 7, R. Belcher, F. Kennedy 2, C. Manton, L. Simpson 2. Total 12.

St Louis College — O'Connell 6, Clarkson 17, Battle 2, French 1, Molloy 2, Carnie, Purcell, Scotney and Sullivan. Total 28.

Fairfield Ramblers — Wood 8, Winters 7, K Taylor 2, R. Corbett 2, Yardley, McDonald 3, T. Taylor, B. Corbett 2, L Read and L. Scott. Total 21.

Y.M.C.A.—Towill, Henry 4, Wright 6, Clarke 3, Stewart 2, Hay, Mitchell 2, Sprinkling 3, Johnston 6 and Byrne. Total 26.

Fairfield—Taylor, McKeachie 1, Travis 6, McKinnon 2, McDonald 6, Wood 2, Corbett. Total 23.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

Three games will be played this evening at the Sports Centre with the T.A.C. Arrows and K.V.'s, senior "A" men's quintettes, sharing the spotlight. The complete programme follows:

7:00—Hornaby's Hornets vs. 5th N.P.A.M., senior "C" men.

8.00—5th N.P.A.M. vs. Eagles, senior "B" men.

9 00—T.A.C. Arrows vs. K.V.'s, senior "A" men.

TABLE TENNIS STARTS AGAIN

First Division Squads Open Second Half—Sylvesters In Victory

Play got under way in the second half schedule in the first division of the City Table Tennis League last night in the basement of the Strathcona Hotel. Sylvester U-Drive scored a 20-16 win over Liberty Cafe, while MacDonald Electric and Hill's U-Drive battled to an eighteen-all score. The second division will start play tomorrow evening and the handicap section will commence on Friday.

Results follow:

Liberty Cafe—Singles: H Jarvis 5, T. Chattell 2, D. Hawkes 3, W Robinson 2. Doubles: Jarvis and Robinson 1, Chattell and Hawkes 1.

Sylvester U-Drive — Singles: L Greenwood 7, T Mackay 2, Mrs. Greenwood 2, W Cotton 7. Doubles: Mackay and Mrs. Greenwood 9, Greenwood and Cotton 2.

MacDonald Electric—Singles: W. Brown-Cave 7, Fraser 2, Vic Tully 6, D. Robinson 1. Doubles: Brown-Cave and Tully 1, Robinson and Fraser 1.

Hill's U-Drive—D. Elworthy 3, A Elworthy 2, S Prior 4, A. Renfrew 7. Doubles: A. Elworthy and Prior 9, D. Elworthy and Renfrew 2.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . . By Ripley

ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Net Dates For 1941 Campaign Are Given Out

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP).—Dates for major Pacific Northwest lawn tennis tournaments for this year were announced today by E. J. H Cardinall, secretary of the Pacific Northwest Tennis Association.

The secretary said that all the tourneys to be staged in British Columbia are subject to possible cancellation because of the war.

The dates:

June 30 to July 5—Oregon State Tournament, at Portland.

July 7-12—Pacific Northwest, at Tacoma.

July 14-19 — Washington State, at Seattle.

July 21-26—Western Canada Open, at Vancouver.

July 28-Aug. 2—British Columbia Open, at Victoria.

Aug. 6-9—Duncan Open, at Duncan.

RADIALS TO PLAY UNITED

Soccer Champions Here on Saturday for Coast League Match

Vancouver Radials, Canadian soccer champions, will make their second appearance of the current season, when they step on the pitch Saturday at Royal Athletic Park to oppose Victoria United in a Pacific Coast Football League match. The kick-off is set for 2:30 o'clock, with J. C. "Scotty" Dowds as referee. Dave McMillan and Joe Obee will act as linesmen.

NOEL MORGAN

Radials and Victoria United are joint occupants of third berth in the Coast League standings, and the winner of Saturday's important battle here will gain undisputed occupation of this coveted berth. Trailing the other clubs in the circuit for some time, the locals have finally started to climb, but to make their upward move of any material value they must turn back the smart Mainland aggregation.

Radials visited here earlier in the season and eked out a 4-2 decision over Victoria United in an interesting display, and soccer followers are anticipating another good battle Saturday. Locals will be at full strength, and with the visitors bringing over their regular line-up, Victoria will have their hands full to cop the verdict.

Dr. Arthur Poynts, local manager, has called a workout tonight at Royal Athletic Park at 6 o'clock. All players are asked to attend, as the team for Saturday's important match with the Vancouver Radials will be selected following the practice.

DAVE HURDLE TOP BOWLER

Leads Averages in Canadan Legion League at Arcade Alleys

Dave Hurdle set the pace in the Canadian Legion Fivepin Bowling League at the Arcade Alleys for the first-half schedule, according to the averages released yesterday by Secretary Charlie Kinney. Hurdle finished the schedule with 204.9 for twenty-five games and C Tickle was next on the list with 202.9, while Walter Talbot and R Lea were next on the list and Dave Clark ended up in fifth position.

Official figures follow:

	Games	Average
D. Hurdle	25	204.9
C. Tickle	39	202.9
W. Talbot	16	199.7
R. Lea	36	19[illegible]
D. Clarke	30	196.1
C. Kinney	18	196.0
H. Wilkinson	27	193.6
W. McBay	22	190.6
V. Scarborough	19	188.2
R. Milburn	27	182.1
C. Chislett	23	181.5
J. McBay	23	180.0
W. Simpson	32	179.3
A. Worth	28	178.5
H. Bowers	25	178.6
F. Phillips	6	178.5
H. Baker	36	173.7
D. Barr	22	173.7
R. Etheridge	30	169.0
W. Morry	18	165.1
O. Rawlinson	25	165.9

High single game, D Clarke, 245.

High three games, R Lea, 779.

High team, three games, Pro Patria, 3,012.

High team, single game, Naval Veterans, 1,237.

LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost
Pro Patria	17	22
Britannia	14	25
Naval Veterans	8	31

"Women," declared the quiet little man in the corner seat, "endure pain more heroically than men.—I know it from experience."

"Are you a doctor, may I ask?" queried a fellow-passenger.

"No, sir, I am a shoemaker," replied the little man.

Nova, Comiskey To Meet Friday In Feature Bout

Contenders for Joe Louis' Heavyweight Crown Ready for Battle in Madison Square Garden This Week—Nova Is Slight Favorite—Both Lads Have Had Their Reverses

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—On the surface it's just another ten-round fight; just another headliner on the time-clock schedule of boxing shows Mike Jacobs has lined up to keep the sport and Mike Jacobs alive around here this Winter.

Beneath the surface the Pat Comiskey-Lou Nova bout at the Garden next Friday night drips drama and pathos, and all the other elements which are blended when two young men with a common goal meet to decide which will move ahead and which will back up.

The careers of the two men have much in common. Both are fine physical specimens who at one time were rated promising aspirants for Joe Louis' title. Each ran into a setback.

The major difference was that Nova was farther along the road when he was wrecked by Tony Galento. Comiskey's reputation has been built on victories over second-raters, and on his first trip on the main line he ran into Max Baer. Both were removed from the spotlight.

Both have taken the same method of mending their frayed careers. Comiskey dropped back into the company to which he was accustomed and proceeded to pick up the needed experience only that kind of competition can bring. Nova went up against some trial horses and won easily.

Now both are ready to resume their climbs, and at each other's expense. Experience favors Nova, and we look for that edge to bring him victory, if he has learned to keep his feet in alignment.

SUMMARIZES 1940 SEASON

Ford Frick Goes Over Schedule in the National Baseball League

By FORD C. FRICK
President of the National Baseball League

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—At this new year season, outlook for every enterprise scheduled for the coming year is more closely bound up with the outlook of the United States as a whole than ever before. We in the National League are preparing for an active season. Our clubs have on their rosters a remarkably promising array of new men. Every indication is for a hotly-contested pennant race.

How this outlook will be modified by events to come, no man can foresee. Baseball has its place in the programme of a nation preparing for national defence and that place will be defined as events shape themselves.

Last year this time, Bill McKechnie, manager of the 1939 pennant-winning Cincinnati Reds, said something to the effect that the Reds were still champions, and at least as strong a club as the previous year. That's still a pretty good starting point for any discussion of pennant chances. The Reds now are world champions.

How much of the championship spirit Jimmy Wilson will transfer to Chicago Cubs as the new manager is a consideration which should make the Cubs as one of the most interesting teams in the National League this year.

Pittsburgh's feat in finishing fourth after occupying last place from May 6 to June 6 foretells a flying start for Frank Frisch's fiery crew.

Brooklyn's acquisition of Kirby Higbe makes the runnerup of 1940 even more dangerous. The Giants, with Bill Jurges back in the line-up, are certain to rebound off their disappointing 1940 campaign. Boston, with its rising regiment of young players, had the highest winning percentage in our league for August. This indicates that Boston will be a factor to be reckoned with.

Philadelphia's new minor league players collectively are the strongest group Phillies have added for many years.

LIONS SMOTHER BUCKAROOS, 7-1

Vancouver Sextette Skates To Easy Victory Over Portland

VANCOUVER, Jan 7 (CP).—Vancouver Lions rocketed from cellar position to a second-place tie with Portland Buckaroos in the Pacific Coast Hockey League here last night by smothering the Bucks under a 7-1 score.

LINE-UPS

Portland — Hill; Conn, Ripley, Dheere, Holmes, Grieve. Subs.: Sutherland, Ouelette, McFadden, Martin.

Vancouver — Jackson, Hutton, Desreaux; Wood, O'Neill, Jerwa. Subs: Labovitch, Lennon, Gourlie, Lord.

Officials — Amby Moran and George Shooter.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Vancouver, Lennon (Gourlie), 8 23; 2, Vancouver, Jerwa (O'Neill, Wood), 14 14. Penalties: None.

Second period—3, Vancouver, Lennon, 12.13; 4, Portland, Grieve (Conn), 16 42. Penalties: Labovitch, Conn, McFadden.

Third period—5, Vancouver, Gourlie (Hutton), 5:08; 6, Vancouver, O'Neill (Labovitch), 6 52; 7, Vancouver, Gourlie (Lennon), 14 27; 8, Vancouver, O'Neill (Wood, Jerwa), 16 25. Penalties: Hutton.

MIDDLESBROUGH, England (CP).—John Muir lit a match to see if there was any gasoline in his car. Air raid wardens saw the resulting flare, and Muir was fined £10 ($44.50) for causing a light that was not obscured.

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COMMITTEES OF COUNCIL NAMED

Reeve W. L. Woodhouse Announces Selections at Inaugural Meeting

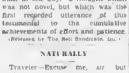
Standing committees for the year were named at the first meeting of the Oak Bay Council this year, which was held Monday evening. Reeve W. L. Woodhouse made the selections as follows.

Finance, Councillor Richard Angus, chairman, and Councillors L. A. Cronsen and P. A. Gibbs; works, Councillor F. Turley, chairman, and Councillors J. V. Johnson and Walter Walker; fire, Councillor Gibbs, chairman, and Councillors Grogan and Walker; relief, Councillor J. V. Johnson, chairman, and Councillor Walker; lands, Councillor Grogan, chairman, and Councillor Turley. Councillor Angus was named acting reeve.

It was decided to communicate with the city regarding the securing of a strip of property at the entrance of Carrey's riding academy in order that Cadboro Bay Road might be widened. The necessity of widening the road was pointed out by A. S. Co-Musgrave, engineer. Some old buildings would have to be torn down at the eastern entrance to the fair grounds in order to make the improvement.

Authority was given the superintendent to purchase ninety water meters from Gordon & Belyea, Vancouver. Seventy-five trident meters, five-eighths of an inch, will cost $14.33 each, and fifteen three-quarter-inch meters will cost $21.32 each. The total sum will be included in the 1941 estimates.

A request from the Victoria Chamber of Commerce for a grant of $150 was referred to the estimates committee.



"ROME WAS NOT BUILT IN A DAY"

About the year 1346, there was published the earliest criterion of English "sayings."

John Heywood, its author, must have had an ear for posterity, for included in the list are many aphorisms that, though they must have been in circulation before their appearance in this work, have an up-to-the-minute flavor.

Among them is "Rome was not built in one day," a thought which was not novel, but which was the first regarded utterance of this testimonial to the cumulative achievements of efforts and patience.

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NATURALLY

Traveler—Excuse me, sir but could you tell me the name of the newly-married couple living in the flat above you?

Hard-bitten Benedict—Well, as far as I can make out, one is named Reesie Ducky, and the other is Lambkins Darling.

"Devil's Work"

By CAROLYN WELLS

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CHAPTER LX

"I have not, Mr Stone. You see, it has not yet been decided what caused Forrest's death."

"So I understand. "You're awaiting a further report of the autopsy, I suppose."

"Yes; and as you may or may not know, Doctor Peterson, the medical expert, is in Philadelphia, and consequently the report is delayed. We can deduce from the knowledge we already have."

"Are you willing to tell me what it?"

"I am glad to. Perhaps you can advise us. You see, it is a long established fact that in a case of death from morphine poisoning pupils of the victim's eyes show a rightly contracted condition; they are referred to mere pin points. But after Mr Forrest's death, his eyes showed normal sized pupils, so it seems to me that morphine could not have been the fatal agent."

"If the medical authorities declare for morphine as the cause of the death, we can only turn our attentions to who gave the morphine to Forrest and how."

"Yes, I quite agree. Miss Fane tried to tell me that she saw something giving Forrest something, but when I asked her for details, she went up like a rocket and said she didn't mean it, that she was only joking. Now, from her manner, I believe she did see something and that the reason for so does not know about, and I wonder if you could get it out of her."

"She is a strange proposition, that girl," Stone said, thoughtfully. "I'll see what I can do, but she doesn't mind trifling with the truth.

"I know that—and yet, somehow, I can't help a sort of admiration for her."

"That's because of her beauty. If she didn't exaggerate nature's gifts to her, she would be a wonderfully lovely girl. As to her looks, I mean. She is far from lovely in her mind."

"Do you know, I rather like her" Eastman admitted, and Stone dropped the subject.

"I am going to see Monsieur Barbe," he told the inspector. "I'd rather you wouldn't say anything to anyone about it, for I may learn nothing from him. But I mean to try to find out something more about that fencing Duval. It sounds a bit mysterious to me, and I don't like what I don't understand.

"Very well, Mr Stone. I'll not tell where you've gone. Perhaps when you get back you'll see what you can find out from Miss Fane."

"I will. But morphine couldn't have been given to him while he was fencing."

"In the meantime, Austin had been with Jean in her boudoir. He had begun by telling her of his great love for her, which he had tactfully tried to hide so long as she was his brother's wife. But now Vivian was gone, and he could tell her of his devotion.

Jean took a chaffing attitude. She told him she was not really his guiding star, as he had declared for. Rome considered herself that.

"Rome!" he exclaimed scornfully. "That little bunch of bad temper and cosmetics!"

Jean had to smile, for it was an apt description.

"What's he doing staying here for?" he growled. "Can't you send her away?"

"The doctor won't let her go yet, as you know. Now, Austin, please leave me. I've a lot to do, and—"

"I know. That young pertpo in the nursery is calling you. But, seriously, Jean, dear, I am here for a little while."

"Make it snappy, then, for I want to be left alone. It's about money, I suppose."

"Yes, it is," he said shortly. "And it ought to come from you, not from me. You know, of course, that Vivian fully intended to make another will."

"I know Vivian intended to do a great many things that he never did do."

"And you know that if he had made the will he intended to, he would have left me a far greater legacy than he did."

"No, I have no way of knowing that."

"You have, in your heart, in your conscience. You know that when Viv made that will, he was dead gone on you. He was expecting a son and heir, and, he was worshipping the ground you walked on. But time changed all that. The baby was a girl, and the love between you and Vivian grew less and less, and your fancy turned back to Brandon dearer, do, much so that you invited him here to visit. That gave Vivian a chance to bring a guest of his own choice, and he brought Elaine. The rest you know."

"And so do you. You know that Vivian made no other will, or he would have told us. But if he did, go to work and find it."

"Yes, that's what I want to do. Will you wait—not have the will probated, I mean, until I can search for another?"

Jean gave a little laugh.

"I'm afraid, Austin, I cannot consent to another of those terrible searchings. If we had—called Mr. Stone sooner, we would have been saved a lot of trouble. But I doubt that he would make a search for no other reason than your desire for more money."

(To Be Continued)

SO YOU'RE BOTH BUSY

"So your wife takes in washing?" the Montgomery County Judge asked a man who was up for vagrancy. "What do you do?"

"Well, Judge," explained the accused, "I takes in the washin', the old woman does the washin'. I takes the washing back, the old woman collects the money and I talk; hey out the most of it."

GREATER LOVE

Wife—I'm afraid, Oliver, you do not love me any more—at least, not so much as you used to.

Husband—Why?

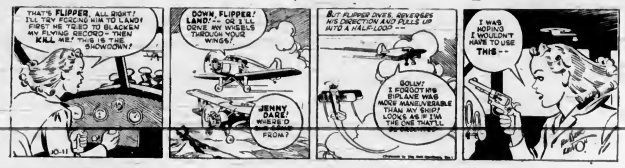
Wife—Because you always let me get up to light the fire now.

Husband—Nonsense, my dear. Your getting up to light the fire makes me love you all the more.

I LYIN' JENNY

Last Resort

By Russell Keaton



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1 BIRTHS

WATSON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on January 6, to Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Watson (nee Margaret Helen Singer), 93 Dallas Road, a daughter.

OENOE—To Lieutenant and Mrs. J. B. Oenoe (nee Dorothy Harris), 165 Gorge Road West, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on January 7, a daughter.

STEVENSON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on January 7, to Pay Lieutenant and Mrs. T. Stevenson (nee Peggy Dellinar), a son.

PATON—At Provincial Hospital, January 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Ian Wilson Paton (nee Dorothy Hallier), a son.

HUNTER—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunter (nee May Patterson), Pender Island, B.C., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, January 6, a son.

OOWER—At St. Joseph's Hospital, January 7, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Oower Jr. (nee Dearest), 616 Oswego Street, a son, William Ralph.

2 DEATHS

PALMER—On January 5, 1941, at the residence of her son, H. V. Castleton, 1381 Burleith Drive, Mrs. Lenora Frances Palmer, beloved wife of Victor Charles William Palmer of 500 Berkshire Road, in her eightieth year, born in Portland, Oregon, and had been living in this city and district for sixty-two years. Survived by her husband, one son and two grandchildren, all of Victoria. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 3 p.m. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

STEPHENSON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on January 5, 1941, Rev. Frederick Lambert Stephenson, of 1631 Bee Street, aged seventy-six years, born in Stratford-on-Avon, England, and had been living in Victoria since 1939—and in the province since 1884. Survived by his wife at home, two sons, C. L. Stephenson in Duncan, and Major D. C. Stephenson with the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish, C.A.S.F., and three daughters, Mrs. O. J. Mills in Winnipeg, Mrs. J. L. Ashley in Victoria, and Mrs. H. B. McLeod in Vancouver, B.C. Funeral on Wednesday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 10:40 a.m., proceeding to St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, where service will be conducted at 11 o'clock. Interment in St. Peter's Churchyard, Quamichan. No flowers, by request.

ROBINSON—On January 6, 1941, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, of 602 Orono Street, widow of Peter Robinson, in her sixty-ninth year, born in London, England, and a resident of Victoria for forty years. Survived by one son, Claude, in Victoria; two daughters, Mrs. George Cannon, Victoria, and Mrs. Victoria Bergquist, in Vancouver; also two granddaughters, Doris Bergquist and Joyce Cannon. Funeral in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 4:30 p.m. Rev. Canon E. V. Reid officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

CRAWFORD—On Monday, January 6, there passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Isabel Chalmers Crawford, wife of James W. Crawford of Saanichton, aged seventy-four years. The late Mrs. Crawford was born at Ocean Head, Ont., and had been a resident of the province for the past thirty-eight years. She is survived by her husband and one son, Russell, of Saanichton, two daughters, Mrs. Edgar John and Mrs. B. C. Furbere, both of Saanichton; one grandson; also four brothers, Mr. Hugh Ferguson, New Westminster, Andrew Ferguson, Pasadena, Calif.; John and Arthur Ferguson, of Saanichton. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel. Rev. R. J. Pierce will conduct the service and interment will be in Shady Creek Cemetery.

4 CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. E. Moore, of 3131 Ida Street, wish to extend sincere thanks and appreciation to all for kindness and sympathy shown them in their deep loss of a beloved and loving mother.

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A.O.F. HALL—TWO DANCES FOR THE price of one this Saturday. Music by the Haymakers, Old-Timers and the Bell Boys from Penticton. Prizes. Supper. 25 cents.

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1939	FORD SEDAN	[illegible]
1937	CHEVROLET SEDAN	[illegible]
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1939	DODGE SEDAN	[illegible]
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1934	TERRAPLANE SEDAN	[illegible]
1940	CHEVROLET COACH	[illegible]
1940	FORD COACH	[illegible]
1931	FORD TUDOR	[illegible]
1930	NASH COUPE	[illegible]
1939	FORD COUPE	[illegible]
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78 HOUSES FOR SALE

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79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

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79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES (Continued)

WANTED—FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM BUNgalow, with basement and furnace, within two miles of centre of city. Price around $3,000. Client waiting. Conyers-Wilders Co., 621 Broughton Street.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

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80D SAANICH

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BAZAAR BAY (WEILER ESTATE), four large lots left at, each $300

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81 PROPERTY WANTED

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COLWOOD, about 3½ acres, on highway, nicely treed $400

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OAK BAY

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George Randall
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Morning — 8:00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 8:15, CFCT, KIRO; 8:30, KOL; 9:00, CBR, KJR, KOL; 10:45, KJR, CJOR; 11:30, CBR; 11:45, ...

Afternoon—12:30, CBR, CJOR, CFCT; 2:00, KOL; 2:15, KIRO; 2:45, CBR, CJOR; 4:15, KOMO, CJOR, KIRO; 5:45, KIRO.

Evening—6:15, KJR; 6:30, CFCT, KJR; 7:00, CBR, CJOR; 7:15, KOL; 7:30, KOL; 7:30, CBR, CKWX; 7:45, CJOR; 9:30, KJR.

Key Station Wave Lengths

C.B.C. NETWORK— CBR (1100).
N.B.C. RED NETWORK— KOMO (920), KPO (680), KFI (640).
N.B.C. BLUE NETWORK— KJR (970), KGO (790).
COLUMBIA NETWORK— KIRO (710), KNX (1050), KVI (560).
VANCOUVER— CJOR (600), CKWX (980).
MUTUAL - DON LEE NETWORK—KOL (1270).
VICTORIA— CFCT (1450).

Wednesday's Progamme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

8:00 A.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX). Organ Concert (KOMO). Breakfast Club (KJR, KOL). Housewives, Inc. (KIRO).

8:15 A.M.—Clark Dennis, tenor (CBR). Against the Storm (KOMO). News (KIRO). Range Rider (CJOR). Father and Son Programme (CKWX).

8:30 A.M.—Just Between Friends (CBR, KJR). Victor Lindlahr (KOMO). Just Between Friends (KJR). The Goldbergs (KIRO). News; Tuneleus (KOL). Breakfast Club (CJOR). Melodious Memories (CKWX).

8:45 A.M.—The Balladeer (CBR). By Kathleen Norris (KIRO). Ann Sterling Wanders (KJR). Here's a Song for Today (KOL).

9:00 A.M.—News (CBR, KJR, KOL). Words and Music (KOMO). Kate Smith's Noonday Chats (KIRO). Shut-In Programme (CJOR). Late Risers' Programme (CKWX).

9:15 A.M.—Gustave Onstin, tenor (CBR). Patty Jean Health Club (KJR). Arizona Joe (KOL). When a Girl Marries (KIRO). Master Singers (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—Pelham Richardson's Orch. (CBR). Voice of Experience (KOMO). National Farm and Home Hour (KJR). Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO). Ray Daughters (KOL). Bitty Scene (CJOR). Morning Matinee (CKWX).

9:45 A.M.—The Musical Handy Man (KOMO). Our Gal Sunday (KIRO). Mid-Morning Matinee (KOL). Gospel Singer (CJOR). Stars of the Week (CKWX).

10:00 A.M.—Nancy Dane (CBR). Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO). Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO). Art Van Horn (KOL). On With the Dance (CJOR). Hawaiian Serenade (CKWX).

10:15 A.M.—Frankie Masters' Orchestra (KOMO). Inquiring Reporter (KJR). Woman in White (KIRO). Fiesta of Song (KOL). Alan Roth (CJOR). Close Harmony (CKWX).

10:30 A.M.—Frankie Master's Orch. (CBR). Romance (KJR). The Right to Happiness (KIRO). Johnson Family (KOL). Peter McGregor (CJOR). Rhythm and Romance (CKWX).

10:45 A.M.—Dr. Kate (KOMO). News (KJR, CJOR). Songs of a Dreamer (KIRO). Batchelor's Children (KOL). Wishart Campbell Sings (CKWX).

11:00 A.M.—Big Sister (CBR, KIRO, CJOR). Betty Crocker (KOMO). Our Half Hour (KJR). Our Friendly Neighbors (KOL). Radio Gym Classes (CKWX).

11:15 A.M.—Life and Love of Dr. Susan (CBR, CJOR). Arnold Grimm's Daughter (KOMO). Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO). Betty Lou Shops for You (KOL). All in Fun (CKWX).

11:30 A.M.—News Bulletin, U.S. Navy Band (CBR). Valiant Lady (KOMO). U.S. Navy Band (KJR). Fletcher Wiley (KIRO). An Airplane Trip (KOL). Singin' Sam (CJOR).

11:45 A.M.—Light of the World (KOMO). News (KJR). Mr. Ben and I (KIRO). The Hint Hunter (CJOR). South Sea Serenade (CKWX).

12:00 Noon—Mary Marlin (KOMO). Orchestra of Distinction (KJR). Martha Webster (KIRO). News (KOL). Fourth Floor Studio (CJOR). Hit of the Day; News (CKWX).

12:15 P.M.—Ma Perkins (KOMO). Amanda of Honeymoon Hill (KJR). Golden Treasury of Song (KIRO). Christine Businessmen (KOL). Organ (CKWX).

12:30 P.M.—News (CBR). Pepper Young's Family (KOMO). John's Other Wife (KJR). Kate Hopkins (KIRO). Melody Supplement (KOL). News (CJOR). Midday Merry-Go-Round (CKWX).

12:45 P.M.—Kathrine Hamilton (CBR). Vic and Sade (KOMO). Just Plain Bill (KJR). Woman of Courage (KIRO). Melody Supplement (KOL). Ballad Music (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—Presenting (CBR). Backstage Wife (KOMO). Mother of Mine (KJR). Portia Blake Faces Life (KIRO). Muse and Music (KOL). Men I Married (CJOR).

1:15 P.M.—Club Matinee (CBR). Stella Dallas (KOMO). Myrt and Marge (KIRO). Hilcan Park Gourmet Race (KOL). Sue's Notebook (CJOR). Hits and Encores (CKWX).

1:30 P.M.—Lorenzo Jones (KOMO). Patty Jean Health Club (KJR). Hilltop House (KIRO). Music Masters (CKWX).

1:45 P.M.—Shop to Save (CBR). Young Widder Brown (KOMO).

Cowboy Joe (KJR). Stepmother (KIRO). Musical Roundup (KOL). Studio Party (CJOR).

2:00 P.M.—Girl Alone (KOMO). Zollman at the Organ (KJR). Singin' Sam (KIRO). News (KOL). Billy Browne's Brevities (CKWX).

2:15 P.M.—Mirror for Women (CBR). Lone Journey (KOMO). News (KIRO). Singing Strings (KOL).

2:30 P.M.—Virginia Entertains (CBR). Guiding Light (KOMO). King County P.-T.A. (KJR). This Woman's World (KIRO). Know Your America (KOL).

2:45 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR). Life Can Be Beautiful (KOMO). Warna King, tenor (KJR). Scattergood Baines (KIRO).

3:00 P.M.—Question of the Hour (CBR). Four Treat (KOMO). Linda Dale, drama (KJR). Young Dr. Malone (KIRO). News; Movie Review (KOL). Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR). Siesta (CKWX).

3:15 P.M.—Message From Sandy McPherson (CBR). That Girl From Fisher's (KOMO). Hedda Hopper's Hollywood (KIRO). An Airplane Trip (KOL). Irene Wicker, News (KJR). Ma Perkins (CJOR). Mile. Tempo; Symphony (CKWX).

3:30 P.M.—Recital Series (CBR). Homekeepers' Calendar (KOMO). Kaising a President (KJR). Joyce Jordan, Girl Interne (KIRO). Pepper Young (CJOR).

3:45 P.M.—Don't Laugh at a Child (CBR). Seattle Playgrounds (KOMO). Let's Talk It Over (KJR). The World Today (KIRO). Right to Happiness (CJOR).

4:00 P.M.—The Little Revue (CBR, KJR). Fred Waring (KOMO). Second Wife (KIRO). Stephen McCormick (KOL). Road of Life (CJOR). Echoes of the British Empire (CKWX).

4:15 P.M. — European Bulletins (KOMO). Newsreel (KIRO). Ma Perkins (KOL). News (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—Capt. Sandie: Dance Orchestra (KOMO). Easy Does It (KJR). Job Finder (KIRO). Tea Tunes (KOL). Woman in White (CJOR).

4:45 P.M.—American Legion Auxiliary (KIRO). Famous Voices (CJOR).

5:00 P.M.—Tunes in Three-Quarter Time (CBR, KOMO). Tropical Moods (KJR). Father (?) Comes to Town (KIRO). Avenue Bandwagon (KOL). Ranger's Cabin (CJOR). Teeth in Review (CKWX).

5:15 P.M.—Jack Armstrong (KOMO). King Arthur, Jr. (KJR). Melody Strings (CKWX).

5:30 P.M.—Superman (CBR). String Serenade (KOMO). Bud Barton (KJR). Shelter Parade (KOL). Concert Hall (CJOR).

5:45 P.M.—Tom Mix (KJR). Bob Garred Reporting (KIRO). Capt. Midnight (KOL). Paw and Marthae (CKWX).

6:00 P.M.—Melodies for You (CBR). Paul Martin's Music (KOMO). Scandinavian Reporter (KJR). Don't Be Personal (KIRO). Stephen McCormick (KOL). Supper Dance (CJOR). On Parade (CKWX).

6:15 P.M.—Library of Good Music (KOMO). News (KJR). Glenn Grounds and Jean Ditmars (KIRO). Speaking of Sports (KOL).

6:30 P.M.—Challenge to Youth (CBR). Cavalcade of America (KOMO). Ernest Spin and Win With Jimmy Flynn (KJR). Big Town (KIRO). Are You Ready (KOL). On the Mall (CJOR). Letters Home (CKWX).

6:45 P.M.—Answer Man (KOL). Easy Aces (CJOR). Light Up and Listen (CKWX).

7:00 P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR). Kay Kyser (KOMO). Story Drama (KJR). Glenn Miller's Orchestra (KIRO). Suppertime Melodies (KOL). The World of Today (CKWX).

7:15 P.M.—Britain Speaks (CBR). Col. Philip B. Fleming talk (KJR). Sports Views (KIRO). News Hunt by Ira Hunt (KOL). Light Up and Listen (CJOR). Little Concert (CKWX).

7:30 P.M.—R.B.C. Newsreel (CBR). Doctors at Work (KJR). Adventures of Mr. Meek (KIRO). Lone Ranger (KOL). Radio Revellers (CJOR). News (CKWX).

7:45 P.M.—News (CJOR). Sue Ward (CKWX).

8:00 P.M.—Drama (CBR). A Moment With Tony Martin (KOMO). Gus Riggs (KJR). Amos 'n' Andy (KIRO). Little Concert (KOL). Treasure Trail (CJOR). Del Richards' Orchestra (CKWX).

8:15 P.M.—Lanny Ross (KIRO). Our Japanese Community (KOL).

8:30 P.M.—Big Town (CBR, CJOR). Hoo Did We Meet (KOMO). Manhattan at Midnight (KJR). Dr. Christian, News (KIRO). Adventures in Rhythm (KOL). Farmer Fiddlers (CKWX).

9:00 P.M.—Family Man (CBR, CJOR). Time to Smile (KOMO). Easy Aces (KJR). Star Theatre (KIRO). Newspaper of the Air (KOL). Family Man (CJOR). Silent Heroes (CKWX).

9:15 P.M.—Mr. Keen (KJR). Lost Empire (KOL).

9:30 P.M.—Classics for Today (CBR). Mr. District Attorney (KOMO). News (KJR). Snake Carter (KOL). Joe Sudy's Orchestra (CJOR). Barney's Entertainers (CKWX).

9:45 P.M.—Library of Popular Hits (KJR). Freddie Martin's Orchestra (KOL).

10:00 P.M.—A Westerp Voice (CBR). News (KOMO, CKWX). New Sandahu's Orchestra (KJR). Paul Sullivan Reviews News (KIRO).

Haven of Rest (KOL). Jimmie Dorsey's Orchestra (CJOR).

10:15 P.M.—The News (CBR, KIRO). Dance Orchestra (KOMO). Pop Concert (CKWX).

10:30 P.M.—Bernie Cummins' Orch. (CBR, KOMO). Aloha Land (KJR). News (CJOR, KOL). Dramatic Medley (CKWX).

10:45 P.M.—Ray Harrington's Orchestra (KJR). Musical Interlude (KIRO). Phil Harris' Orchestra (KOL). Melody in the Night (CJOR).

11:00 P.M.—... Eddie Moving World (KJR). Clark Ross and Jean Ditmars (KIRO). Concert Time (CJOR). Make-Believe Ballroom (CKWX).

11:15 P.M.—Ben Bernie's Orch. (KJR). Marvin Dale's Orch. (KOL).

11:30 P.M.—News Round-Up (CBR). Dave Marshall's Orch. (KOMO). Nightcap Yarns (KIRO).

11:45 P.M.—Memories in Music (KIRO). News (KOL).

11:57 P.M.—News Bulletins (KOMO, KJR).

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7:00 a.m.—Town Patrol.
8:00 a.m.—Western Time.
8:14 a.m.—Breakfast News.
8:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9:00 a.m.—Morning Classics.
9:30 a.m.—Financial Flashes.
9:45 a.m.—Concert Interlude.
10:00 a.m.—Studio Scrapbook.
10:30 a.m.—Featurettes.
11:00 a.m.—Empire Salute.
11:30 a.m.—Musicettes.
12:00 noon—Wartime Intercession.
12:15 p.m.—Intermezzo.
12:30 p.m.—Midday News.
12:45 p.m.—Navy Band.
1:00 p.m.—Songs from Shows.
1:30 p.m.—World Book Man.
1:30 p.m.—Vocal Varieties.
1:45 p.m.—Serenade.
2:00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
3:00 p.m.—Musical Highlights.
3:30 p.m.—Shut In Programme.
4:00 p.m.—Friendly Hour.
4:30 p.m.—Tea Time Tunes.
5:00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5:30 p.m.—Old-Time Frolic.
6:15 p.m.—Rogers Birthday Party.
6:30 p.m.—News Summary.
6:45 p.m.—Sports Parade.
7:00 p.m.—...
7:15 p.m.—Dr. Candlelight.
7:30 p.m.—Captain M. B. Rarberd.
7:45 p.m.—Dance Time.
8:00 p.m.—Hymnology.

SANTA ANITA RACING

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Bold Lucy ... 6.00 4.60
Chinolla Mia ... 6.40
Also ran: Valdina Galety, Klickmute, Chabelle, Valdina Bio, Orsalla, Cognet Toe, River Shannon, Wise Witch, Bundrie, Hilltop, Royal Linda, Amerikerry, Lavera Lass, Grand Appeal, Fire Arms.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Sweet Orange ... 15.00 12.80 11.40
War Briar ... 3.40 3.20
Florencita ... 10.00
Also ran: False Clue, Monce, Valdina Knave, Hockaway, Bob Redeem, Easy Goer, Frat Boy, Crystal Lard, Ella R., Dead Ermine, Double A, Buckhorn Creek.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Theatre Ring ... 44.00 20.00 12.80
Black Highbrow ... 3.30 7.20
Nony O ... 11.80
Also ran: Olles County, High Vote, Konnie Breeze, Balkan War, Heddy Triumph, Bel Hi, Superstition, Lap Fen, Induce, Rich Top, Townman, Blue Prairie, Jocks Ann, Blue Marvel, Progress.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Flying Streak ... 10.60 14.20 11.40
Transient ... 5.10 3.60
Cute Trick ... 3.60
Also ran: Lady Bean, Flying Chance, Appeasement, Valdina Myth.

FIFTH RACE—One mile
Valdina Stereo ... 10.80 10.20 11.80
Movie ... 6.30 3.20
Willy ... 4.00
Also ran: Bettys Broom, Sweet Chance, Gallant Sis, Iron Mike, Hoot Owl, Valdina Orsme.

SIXTH RACE—One mile
Wadding Call ... 16.00 10.60 13.60
Dusky Dube ... 4.30 3.30
Veld Bo ... 3.60
Also ran: Gleet Union, Bubbling Boy, Arise, Comet II, Albert Jay, Sweepalot, Merry Bright, Count Atlee, Evil Spirit.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter
Lavern Miss ... 10.00 11.00 17.70
Sure Miss ... 16.90 5.40
Sky Clare ... 2.80
Also ran: Robbey Reld, Saginal, Volme Hour, Born Needs, Mo Universe, Stringalong.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter
West Acre ... 15.00 10.60 17.00
Southernaire ... 4.40 3.00
Shasta Racket ... 3.80
Also ran: Cross B, Uether, Arr Lake, Torch Marchar, Ralston Lad, First Port.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs
Renrico 126; Gate Post 120; Royal Vanity 120; (A) Valdina Mazza 117; Mullisiveness 120; Bob's Now 111; In Grail 117; Lady Spencer 117; Nervagy 109; (B) Bar Copper 120; (A) Valdina Honey 117; Liberty Nar 117; Tenon Ray 120; (K) Shebrille 91; Paradiom 114; Zaca Rose 117; Teradian 117.

SECOND RACE—One mile
Bettine Bank 8; Blaney 111; Jestin 103; Miss Oriel 107; Little Dew 111; Bar Mete 109; (C) Queress 115; (D) Guiding War 112; Biella Finio 104.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
(D) Morris 107; Alja 107; (K) Valley Bar 117; (B) Allesandro 117; (F) Flying Barb 107; Groom Cotton 118; Ebony Jailed 112; (D) Swash 107; Igorete 117; (F) Half Pence 113; Llika 117.

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs
Mint Reach 108; Blue Bull 114; Call In Lanote 110; (C) Busters 108; Nevelenai 109; Buzville 108; Zebelco 112; Childrie 115; (C) Dod Lin II 111.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Legend Call 114; (H) Niagold 115; Famous Poser 138; Count Chat 109; Fort 116; (R) Good Bolly 117; Le Gaulor 112; Over Three 112; Blaune Peir 117; Kanter Run 114; Baton Talk 117.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs
Spanish Duke 115; Hoteepting 112; Saiger 117; He Said 114; (T) Hustlin Ral 104; Ka II 111; (J) Mel Run 109; Gold Ramble 114; Less Time 118; Wilton 107; Parrett Miss 120; Bone Plate 113; Comet II 111; (J) Cinema 109; (L) Flying Daddy 109.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile
Teased About 110; Artgetot 110; Mr. Jeffrey 114; Vajeroso II 110; Justice M 115; Wise Fairer 109; Count D Or 108; Saint Andrews 116.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Timberland 115; Burnet Head 113; Rose Motie 116; Strongship 111; Al Play 116; Good Taste 107; Nasie Gin 116; Burned Trail 110.

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THINK OVER SUGGESTION

Proposal of U.S. Flyer for Distinctive Badge Is Considered Important

TORONTO Jan. 7 (CP).—Flight Lieutenant "Nick" Knickerbocker former Hollywood stunt flyer, said today American airmen in the Royal Canadian Air Force are seeking permission to wear on their tunics an emblem made up of an Uncle Sam topper superimposed on a maple leaf

He also told of plans held by the American airmen to stage a selling campaign of replicas of the emblem in the ten largest United States cities, the money raised to be used to purchase Harvard training planes for Canada

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—A proposal that American members of the Royal Canadian Air Force be permitted to wear a distinctive badge—an Uncle Sam topper superimposed on a maple leaf—is viewed by the Air Force authorities as a matter of considerable importance to which thought must be given.

The proposal, put forward by Flight Lieutenant "Nick" Knickerbocker, has been received by air authorities, but has not yet been acted on and may not be given a decision for some time, it was said.

One source said the proposal might give rise to requests for a lot of distinctive badges in the force for men of different sections of the country or different countries.

QUALITY TO COUNT MOST

Quantity Is Secondary Consideration in Empire Air Training Plan

EDMONTON, Jan 7 (CP)—The Empire Air Training Plan is more concerned "with quality than quantity" in its production of airmen, James S Duncan, acting deputy minister for air, said in an interview here today

Visiting air training establishments across Canada Mr. Duncan spent the day at R.C.A.F. observers' and elementary training school here

"It's a mistake to think of superiority of numbers as the main goal of the Empire Air Training Scheme" he said "Our objective is the training of superior personnel to man superior aircraft.

"Our system of voluntary recruitment is giving us a better type of man than the German air force obtains by conscription, and we are doing our best to give them better training Our airmen get more air hours before actual combat and we are satisfied that they go into their first battle with a margin on the enemy.

"The Royal Air Force's historic achievements in this war show that quality is more vital than numerical superiority, he added

Canadian Pacific Offering Reduced Rates to Resort

Banff, with its surrounding ring of snow chalets like Mount Temple, Sunshine Valley, Assiniboine and Skoki, and its nearby Mount Norquay ski hill and clubhouse, is the destination of a special low-fare excursion by the Canadian Pacific Railway from Pacific Coast points to the mountain playground, January 17-22 according to an announcement made yesterday by R J Burland, general agent of the company in Victoria.

Round-trip fares from both Victoria and Nanaimo are exceedingly low and should attract considerable patronage Tickets will be good leaving Victoria by the midnight boat Thursday, January 16, or the 2 p.m. boat Friday, January 17, connecting with either the 10 a.m. or the 7.15 p.m train from Vancouver, and from Nanaimo on the 7 30 a.m or 2 30 p.m sailings Friday, January 17. Tickets will be good returning from Banff not later than the 1 45 a.m. train Wednesday, January 22, which reaches Vancouver at 10 30 p.m , January 22.

White Ensign Floats Over New Unit

NOW a unit of Canada's growing naval strength, H M C.S. Royal Roads, the former Dunsmuir home overlooking Royal Bay, will soon be in commission as a naval college, where young men will be trained in the way naval officers should be In the meantime, the main building is being furnished for occupancy by some one hundred cadets, but no part of the home is being altered except its basement. The spacious stables, however, are being modeled for class rooms These are about six minutes' walk from the main building, which will give the cadets some leg exercise each day. Instruction in handling cutters, whalers and some other phases of seamanship will be imparted on the lagoon, lying immediately below the house Commander J. M. Grant, R.C.N. (inset), will be the commandant of the college. He is at present very busy supervising arrangements for officially commissioning H.M.C.S Royal Roads at the earliest possible date.

INQUIRE INTO PLANE MISHAP

Crash of Machine Which Killed Five Airmen Is Being Investigated

RIVERS, Man., Jan. 7 (CP) — Wing-Commander I A. Critchley arrived here today to prepare a report on the crash of a Royal Canadian Air Force training plane which claimed the lives of five youthful Canadian airbirds.

Immediately following his arrival, Wing-Commander Critchley, who is attached to the headquarters of No 2 Training Command in Winnipeg, visited the wreckage of the twin-motored Avro-Anson trainer, which nosed into the ground last night shortly after taking off from the field of the No 1 Air Navigation School of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan

Wing-Commander Critchley will report on the mishap and it will then be decided whether an R.C.A.F court of inquiry will take place.

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MAIL FROM ENGLAND MAY BE DELAYED

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP) The Post office Department said today that friends and relatives of members of the Canadian (Active) Army overseas "should not be concerned or alarmed if there is a delay in receipt of mails from the boys overseas"

Word reaching here from the British Postoffice is that owing to operational difficulties in the United Kingdom mails from members of the Canadian forces there, posted during the last three weeks in December, "will be somewhat delayed in reaching Canada," the department stated.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN — Overcast, south-southeast, moderate 29 74, heavy chop and moderate swell

LENNARD ISLAND — Overcast, east, light, 29 74, moderate swell

PACHENA—Overcast, southeast, moderate 29 82 44, heavy swell and chop

CARMANAH — Overcast, north light; 30 08, moderate swell.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss Princess Kathleen or Ss Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 2 a.m Ss Princess Kathleen or Ss Princess Marguerite will arrive from Vancouver daily at 2 15 p.m Ss Princess Joan or Ss Princess Elizabeth will leave for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight; Ss Princess Joan or Ss Princess Elizabeth will arrive from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss Princess Kathleen or Ss Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4 30 p.m Ss Princess Kathleen or Ss Princess Marguerite will arrive from Seattle daily at 1 15 p.m Ss Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 8 15 a.m; Ss Iroquois will arrive from Seattle daily at 5 35 p.m

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 8 15 a.m. Ss Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 5 35 p.m

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday, for Fulford Harbor at 8 30 a.m and 5 p.m; Ms Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday, at 8 15 a.m and 4 p.m

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10 30 a.m., Tuesdays for Vancouver via Gulf Islands; Ss Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6 30 p.m Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss Princess Norah or Ss Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 9 30 a.m and 3 30 p.m Ss Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 7 30 a.m., 3 30 p.m and 6 15 p.m; Ss Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Sunday only at 5 45 p.m Ss Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1 30 p.m and 9 30 p.m; Ss Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1 30 and 8 30 p.m. Ss Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Sunday only at 1 30 p.m and 11 00 p.m

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesdays), at 8 30 a.m for Gabriola

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay every day, except Sunday at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. Ms Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood every day except Sunday at 8 30 a.m., 10 30 a.m., 2 30 p.m., 3 30 p.m., 4 30 p.m Ms Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay on Sundays at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m Ms Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood on Sundays at 8 30 a.m., 10 30 a.m., 11 30 a.m., 2 30 p.m., 3 30 p.m., 4 30 p.m., 6 30 p.m.

LOWEST FIGURE SINCE OCTOBER

Three British and Four Allied Ships Sunk Last Week of Year

LONDON, Jan 7 (CP)—The Admiralty announced seven merchant ships totaling 27 556 tons had been lost "by enemy action" in the week ending December 30 This is the lowest figure since October and some 25 000 tons under the weekly average of the war. The total included three British ships aggregating 18,208 tons, and four Allied vessels totaling 19,348 tons

The announcement said the Germans had claimed to have sunk during the week in question "a total of 130,163 tons, or nearly four times the actual figure"

For the sixty-nine weeks of the war to the end of December, mercantile shipping losses, exclusive of losses at Dunkerque, averaged 63 000 tons weekly, a naval spokesman said.

"Since the beginning of the war the Germans lost by capture, sinking and scuttling a total of 1,257,000 gross tons of shipping, and the Italians 454 000 tons," he said.

"In addition, 46,000 gross tons of neutral shipping under enemy control or useful to the enemy has been sunk.

"Thus, the total enemy losses amount to more than 1,750,000 gross tons."

Some reduction in the recent shipping losses was attributed to the fact Nazi long-range bombers, which often attacked shipping in the Atlantic, had been less active recently because of bad weather conditions, which likewise were believed to have hampered submarine activity.

Opening Date for Halibut Fishing Set for April 1

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP) — The Dominion fisheries office here announced today that the International Halibut Fisheries Commission has recommended to the Governments of Canada and the United States that the opening date for the 1941 halibut fishing season be set for April 1, the same as in past years.

Fishermen in Southern British Columbia have urged that the opening day be set for March 1, while fishing interests at northerly Prince Rupert, where the big Canadian Queen Charlotte halibut fleet is based, have come forward suggesting that the opening date be May 1 this year.

UNION TAKES STRIKE VOTE

Aircraft Workers Walking Out Tomorrow Night if Demands Not Met

FARMINGDALE, N.Y., Jan. 7 (AP)—A strike of workers engaged in aircraft production at the Ranger engineering division of the Fairchild Engine & Airplane Corporation has been called for Thursday night.

By a unanimous vote, 212 union workers last night decided to lay down their tools at 7:45 p.m. Thursday should negotiations fail between the aircraft company and Local 661, Aviation Division of the United Automobile Workers (C.I.O.). The company employs 240 men.

The threatened strike was authorized on the heels of the signing of a $7,478,000 United States Navy contract by the Fairchild firm.

The union has been negotiating with the company since September seeking a blanket five-cent-an-hour pay increase, elevation of the starting wage from fifty to fifty-five cents an hour, raising of this to sixty-five cents after ninety days, and complete reclassification of all plant employees.

The union, which recently conducted a strike at the Vultee aircraft plant in Downey, Cal., has announced its determination to organize the entire aircraft industry and is reported to have its greatest strength in this area in the Ranger plant, which makes air-cooled army and navy training plane engines.

CAPTAIN MADE VAIN ATTEMPT

Trawler Skipper Gave Life Trying to Save Plane Passenger

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP)—The Admiralty disclosed tonight that the crash of the plane in which Amy Johnson Mollison, famous woman flyer, died Sunday also cost the lives of two men, one of them her passenger.

The second man was Lieutenant-Commander W E. Fletcher, captain of the trawler Haslemere, who made a vain attempt to rescue the passenger when Miss Johnson's plane dived into the choppy waters of the Thames Estuary a moment after she bailed out to a parachute.

The trawler was forming part of a convoy the Admiralty's statement said, when Commander Fletcher and the others saw the parachute descending through low clouds, followed by the plane.

Commander Fletcher dived overboard from the Haslemere, reached the passenger and supported him in the water. A lifeboat failed to reach Fletcher and the survivor, but a naval motor launch picked up Fletcher, who was unconscious, suffering from extreme exhaustion and exposure He died later.

Order of British Empire Conferred On Mary Cornish

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—The London Gazette tonight announces that the medal of the Order of the British Empire has been awarded Mary Cornish for meritorious service while escorting children in a lifeboat from the torpedoed liner City of Benares. The liner was sunk by a German U-boat in September while carrying British children to safety in Canada.

Fourth Officer Ronald Cooper, who commanded a lifeboat carrying forty-six persons, which was found after lossing for eight days on the ocean, was made a member of the Civil Division, Order of the British Empire.

Annie Ryan, stewardess, and Edward Richardson, a passenger, received commendations.

British Sailors Can Now Convert Money to Dollars

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP)—Action has been taken to remove the annoyance experienced by British seamen ashore in Canada, who, because of United Kingdom control regulations have been unable to spend their sterling notes in the Dominion.

Provision has been made whereby shipping agencies in Canada are authorized to advance Canadian money up to the value of £10 in exchange for sterling notes held by seamen of their lines when they come ashore in Canada, it was learned today from an official source

IN A NUTSHELL

It was bedtime, and Mrs. Jones was overlooking the evening toilet of her small son.

"Oh, Tommy!" she exclaimed. "Look at your hand! It's all scratched and bleeding. How did that happen?".

"Well, you see, mother those were awfully sharp teeth Jimmy Johnson used to have."

Oddments ON SALE TODAY

Special Clearance of ODDMENTS OF WOMEN'S

SILK HOSIERY

4-THREAD CHIFFON HOSE—Made with comfortable stretchy top. Gunmetal shade in size 8½ only. Valued at $1.00 a pair. Special, a pair **39c**

3-THREAD CHIFFON HOSE in extra short length. Sizes 8½, 9 and 9½. Valued at $1.15 a pair. Special, a pair **59c**

4-THREAD CHIFFON AND SEMI-SERVICE WEIGHT—Oddments of several different lines. Valued at 69c a pair. Special, a pair **59c**

No Exchanges—No Phone Orders

—Hosiery, Main Floor

GIRLS' SPORTS JACKETS

Values to $4.98. To Clear at **$2.98**

Smart jackets styled from all-wool materials in bright or subdued plaids—tweeds and plain colors. Odd lines in sizes 12 to 20—only a few in each size, so shop early for good choice.

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Women's and Misses'

KNIT COTTON PYJAMAS

By Turnbull—Special, to Clear **$1.49**

Two-Piece Pyjamas with ski legs and round lastex neck. Maize and pink shades in odd sizes only.

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BEMBERG PRINTED CREPES—Very beautiful in designs and colorings. A perfect draping silk. Crease resisting and washable; 38 inch. Former price, a yard, $1.39 for **79c**

SPUN RAYON FABRICS that look like and feel like wool. Black, navy and cream grounds with neat stripe effects Pure dye and uncrushable; 38 inches wide. Regular $1.39 a yard for **98c**

BLACK DRESS SATINS of excellent grade, for dinner or evening dresses; 38-inch. Former price $2.50 a yard for **$1.69**

—Silks, Main Floor

Linen Sets And Lace Tablecloths

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5 Only, Bridge Sets of embroidered linen. Cloth, 36 x 36, and 4 napkins. Regular, a set, $1.95. Special, **$1.19**

1 Only, Lace Cloth, 54 x 54 inches. Regular $1.39. Special **98c**

1 Only, Lace Cloth, 70 x 90 inches. Regular $4.95. Special **$2.95**

1 Only, Lace Cloth, 45 x 45 inches. Regular $1.19. Special. **89c**

1 Only, Lace Cloth, 54 x 54 inches. Regular $1.79. Special. **$1.19**

2 Only, Tuscany Lace Cloths, 54 x 54 inches. Regular, each, $1.95 Special at **$1.19**

1 Only, Tuscany Lace Cloth, 70 x 90. Regular $2.49. Special **$1.89**

1 Only, Hand-Embroidered Ecru Linen, 17-piece set. Regular $11.95 for **$7.95**

2 Only, Ecru Lace Tablecloths, size 70 x 90. Regular, each $2.50 and $2.75. Special, each **$1.98**

White Flannelette Sheets with colored borders, 70 x 90 Each **$1.30**

Bed Pillows, feather filled. Values to $1.65. Special **79c**

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Samples, 24 x 24 inches, including some that will make fine covers for stools, occasional chairs and cushion tops. A snap at **25¢, 50¢** and **75¢**

Drapery, 2nd Floor

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BOYS' PYJAMAS—Odd lines of flannelette, Walton Yama cloth and broadcloth. One and two-piece styles in the lot. Sizes 24 to 34. A suit **79c**

BOYS' HOSE—Golf or half hose, a variety of shades and pattern. Golf hose, sizes 7½ to 10½, half hose, sizes 9½ to 11. A pair **19c**

Or 6 pairs for $1.00

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HONEY DOUGHNUTS, doz. **19c**

LARGE JELLY ROLLS, each **19c**

—Bakery, Lower Main Floor

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SELECTED FOR OFFICER RANK

Eighteen Ratings Serving With Navy to Train on H.M.C.S. Royal Roads

OTTAWA, Jan 7 (CP) — Naval Service Headquarters tonight announced the names of eighteen ratings of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve and Royal Canadian Naval Reserve who have been selected for commissioned rank and all undergo training at Hatley Park, officers' training establishment near Esquimalt, B.C.

Fifteen of the men will be probationary sub-lieutenants, their promotion effective as from January 1. Their names, with official numbers, follow

R.C.N.V.R. — O.S. R Clayton, V-19096 Toronto, O.S. D T Dunlop, V-19115, Windsor, Ont ; Writer (Clerk) P. Rowlings, V-25275, Halifax Telegraphist J G Parkes, 4-5872, Lachine, Que ; O.S W. J. Gallagher, V-7947, Toronto; Telegraphist W Cannon, V-1246, Summerside, P.E.I.

O.S. J. G. Mills, V-7866, Toronto, A.B J P Keeling, V-9696, Norwood, Man ; Leading Signalman R M Dill, V-11160, Saskatoon; Ordinary Signalman D McPhee, V-7682, Toronto; A.B. G A Powell, V-10246, Saskatoon; Ordinary Telegraphist D. LaTouche, V-6501 Beaumont, Tex.; Petty Officer T. S. Cook, V-10147, Regina; Sick Berth Attendant J T. Dwar, V-9789, Winnipeg

R.C.N.R.—A.B P J Jones, A2485, Hamilton, Ont.

Three other ratings will be trained as probationary engineer sub-lieutenants, effective from January 1

Chief Motor Mechanic A M. P. Scaife, V-30081, Victoria; Acting Engine-Room artificer E P. Walker, V-30179, Beverley Hills, Cal.; Motor Mechanic J. G. Wenman, V-30062, Victoria (all R.C.N.V.R.).

At the same time the navy announced selection for commissioned ranks of two clerks who have been given rank as probationary paymaster sub-lieutenants, effective from January 1

Writer J. A MacDonald, V-7707, Toronto; P.O Writer J R. Carpenter, V-10094, Regina (both R.C.N.V.R.). They will not attend the school.

Flyers Are Lucky To Escape Injury When Forced Down

WINNIPEG, Jan. 7 (CP) — Two Royal Canadian Air Force men, F.O. J. J. Harrington and A.C. A R Enman, escaped injury when forced to land their Norseman airplane in the Brokenhead Valley, thirty-five miles east of Winnipeg, it was learned here today.

One wheel of the plane was damaged and a strut was broken in the forced landing. It is expected the plane will be dismantled and shipped here by train.

The accident occurred when the airmen were flying from No 1 Wireless School, Montreal, to No. 2 Wireless School at Calgary.

KNOWN FACT

"I liked living in the country. Never paid a doctor a bill all the time I was there"

"So the doctor told me."

Fire Losses in Saanich Lowest For Many Years

Fire loss in Saanich last year was $3 851.90, and of this total $1,851.90 was covered by insurance, Chief Joseph Law announced yesterday. This is the lowest fire loss figure in Saanich for a number of years, the chief said

During the twelve months the department responded to 153 fire alarms and held seventy-eight drills The trucks traveled 4,921 miles on fire calls Four men were added to the department, making a total of thirteen, including the chief, and one new truck was purchased and 41,000 feet of hose.

A sneeze is Nature's warning! Quick . . . use Mentholatum. It helps prevent colds because it keeps nose and head clear. It relieves colds because it instantly soothes irritated membranes . . . penetrates and helps clear the choked-up air passages . . . and promotes free, normal breathing again. Buy a 30c tube or jar of Mentholatum today at your nearest druggist

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